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THE FAIR.

Opening of Autumn Goods!

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SILVER DEMOCRATS.

Nominate a State Ticket of Their Own.

HENRY GEORGE FOR GOVERNOR.

Elliot Danforth Indorsed For Lieutenant Governor—The Other Nominations—Ticket to Be Placed in the Field by Petition.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Henry George, son of the late single tax leader, was last night nominated for governor by the nominating committee appointed last Tuesday by the convention of the Chicago platform Democrats at Syracuse. The silver men had been openly threatening that unless the Democratic convention nominated a silver man for governor and indorsed the Chicago platform they would put a ticket of their own in the field. Last night they did it at the Union Square hotel. Elliot Danforth, the regular Democratic candidate for lientenant governor, was nominated for the same place by the silver men. The remainder of the ticket nominated in one of the parlors of the Union Square hotel was as follows:

HENRY GEORGE.

Secretary of State—Gideon J. Tucker.
Comptroller—J. McDonough of Albany.
Treasurer—H. C. Caton of Buffalo.
Attorney General—Ole F. Snyder of Buffalo.
Engineer and Surveyor — General James A. Lee of Rockland county.

Willis J. Abbot, who attended the meeting at which the nominations were made, said that he dined with Mr. George last evening and that he was confident he would accept the nomination. He added that he came down from Syracuse the other day with Elliot Danforth, and, while he was not authorized to speak for him, he believed that he, too, would accept his nomination on the silver ticket.

H. M. McDonald, president of the New York Bimetallic league, acted as chairman of the nominating committee, and among those who took a prominent part in its deliberations were H. M. Goulden, Ezra Tuttle and Benjamin Doblin. About 40 delegates from state senate districts were said to be present, but as the doors were kept closed this statement could not be verified.

Chang Yin Houan's Dismissal.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—According to a dispatch to The Times from its Peking correspondent, the imperial decree issued Friday dismissing from office and banishing to Ili, Chinese Turkistan, Chang Yin Houan, Li Hung Chang's opponent in the foreign office and former Chinese minister at Washington, "acquits the dismissed official of complicity with Kang Yuwei, the Cantonese reformer, but convicts him vaguely as crafty and treacherous." The true reason for his dismissal and banishment, The Times' correspondent asserts, is that Chang Yin Youan was a powerful supporter of the emperor's party.

Newfoundland Fisheries Question.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 1.—Reports from Sir James Winter, premier of Newfoundland, to the ministry here indicate that nothing important has yet been accomplished regarding the fisheries question at the Quebec conference. Inquiries started by the government here indicate a feeling among experienced parties that the colony should safeguard its bait supply and prevent any more American barges coming here to secure cargoes of frozen bait for sale in American ports.

Spreckels Close Big Sugar Deal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—The Hawaiian Commercial and Sugar company has passed from the control of the Spreckels, and the stock is now in the hands of a syndicate of bankers and brokers. The deal, involving about $3,000,000, was consummated yesterday when the old directors retired. The new board is composed of Edward Pollitz, president, E. M. Walsh, Albert Meyer, R. G. Brown and Charles Sutro.

Hungarian Anarchists Sentenced.

BUDAPEST, Oct. 1.—Three laborers named Muzsik, Hartmann and Kolacs, convicted of plotting against the emperor's life, have been sentenced. Muzsik was condemned to five years' penal servitude for conspiring to commit high treason and Hartmann and Kolacs to two years each.

Action Against Anarchists.

ROME, Oct. 1.—The Tribuna announces that all the European governments have now consented to Italy's proposal for a conference to concert measures for the suppression of the anarchists.

AT SANTIAGO.

New Overland Telegraph Line—The Schools Reopened.

SANTIAGO, Oct. 1.—Captain Brady of the United States signal service has been ordered to begin the construction of an overland telegraph line 320 miles in length from Guantanamo via Santiago and Manzanillo. The line is to be used principally for the transmission of government dispatches, although commercial messages will be accepted. The present cost of transmission of messages by telegraph from Guantanamo to Santiago is 20 cents a word up to 30 words and 12 cents for each additional word.

Educational statistics prepared by order of General Wood show that 41 per cent of the white population and 12 per cent of the colored people are able to read and write. Schools will be opened on Monday, the attendance upon which will be compulsory. English will be taught. Thirty teachers at a salary of $60 a month each and a superintendent at $125 a month will be engaged.

General Wood requests that charitable persons in America be advised that no more men's clothing is needed, but that calico and needles and thread for the women and supplies of quinine, bismuth and iron for the sick are required. He would like the agricultural department and charitable societies to send consignments of seeds suitable for planting in the climate, which would be of incalculable advantage to the small farmers. The miners are returning to work, and General Wood says there is absolutely no starvation in the province of Santiago.

Much gratification is expressed over the lawabiding nature of the people in the province. There has been no murder since the occupation by the Americans, and few crimes, all of a petty nature, have been committed.

Lawton's Sanitary Report.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The following fever report from General Lawton at Santiago was received at the war department last night: "Fever cases of all kinds, 622; total sick, 1,062. Death—Paul Vincent, Ninth United States volunteer infantry, bilious fever, Sept. 29."

Hobson May Save Vizcaya.

PLAYA DEL ESTE, Cuba, Oct. 1.—Naval Constructor Hobson is now making an inspection of the Spanish cruiser Vizcaya, which was sunk when Cervera's fleet dashed out of Santiago harbor. This inspection is for the purpose of determining what work is necessary to raise the vessel. Operations will begin soon after his inspection is completed.

Meanwhile the work on the cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa, which is now in Guantanamo harbor, is progressing rapidly. One hundred and fifty men are engaged in the work. They succeeded in covering from the outside the hole in the forward part of the cruiser, and the work of pumping her out will be begun today. Work is also progressing rapidly on the dynamo, the steering engine, the bridge and the decks.

The hospital ship Supply is taking on coal, and the steamer Caubet is repairing the cable.

Chaffee to Succeed McKee.

KNOXVILLE, Oct. 1.—It is currently reported here that Major General A. R. Chaffee, the hero of El Caney, will soon arrive and take command of Camp Poland in place of General McKee. It is also stated that the Second Georgia, now at Atlanta, is to be mustered out, and another regiment will be sent here to fill out the brigade. There are now eight regiments at Camp Poland, but the two negro organizations have not been brigaded. The Second Ohio was scattered over five miles of territory Thursday night. The regiment had in part moved to Chilhowie park from Lonsdale, when orders were revoked and the return march begun. Many of the men bivouacked under the canopy of heaven for the night. A camp site for the regiment was selected yesterday.

Colonel Bryan Much Better.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Colonel William J. Bryan was out of doors yesterday, afternoon for the first time since he became ill. The fever has practically left him, and his physician permitted him to take a carriage drive. He intends to go to Jacksonville, Fla., to rejoin the camp early next week, his wife remaining with him until his departure. A floral tribute in the shape of a huge basket five feet tall, bearing American Beauty and Kaiserine Augusta Victoria roses, fringed with carnations, was sent to him yesterday, accompanied by an elaborate message of eulogy, from the Maryland Democratic association.

An Indian Real Estate Deal.

DENISON, Tex., Oct. 1.—It is stated on good authority that a deal has been concluded by Delaware Indians for the purchase of 550,000 acres of land in Mexico and that as soon as they secure a settlement with the United States and the Cherokees they will remove there. It is thought that many of the full blood Cherokees will accompany them. The tract purchased is on the Yagin river, state of Sonora, and is said to be fine land. Representatives of Mexican land holders were recently among the Cherokees.

Large Gold Consignments.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Gold amounting to more than $1,000,000 arrived on the steamer Augusta Victoria, which arrived here yesterday from Hamburg. The consignments were as follows: Bank of British North America, £99,700 Morgan, Bliss & Co., £50,000; First National bank, £19,000; Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co. £105,000, Lazard Freres, £50,000, Kountze Bros., £13,300.

May's Reception to Diplomats.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Invitations are being sent out to diplomatic bodies in Washington to attend at the state department Monday morning a reception to be given by Secretary Hay in order to establish formal relations with the representatives of foreign powers.

GIVE UP PHILIPPINES

Madrid Newspapers Advise Surrender of Entire Group.

INSURGENTS PROVING TOO STRONG.

Spanish Government Will Ask Permission From Washington to Send Re-enforcements to Visayas—Rebel Outrages at Iloilo.

MADRID, Oct. 1.—Senor Montero Rios telegraphed last night to Senor Sagasta saying that he had received a most satisfactory impression from the attitude of the American peace commission.

The Nacional, not ordinarily a very serious paper, strikes a note which reflects the sentiment of the most serious men here. It boldly advocates Spain giving up the Philippines.

This attitude now is taken by many of the leading papers throughout the country, the view being that retention of the archipelago is yet another pitfall for Spain.

At the same time the government holds 8,000 men ready to send to the Philippines.

The minister of state lamented before the queen the fact that certain papers were in favor of the cession of the Philippines. It is interesting to know that the minister of state considers that Spain should maintain her sovereignty over the entire archipelago, and in such a spirit the Spanish delegates at the conference are inspired.

The question of a number of negroes who have come back from Cuba is attracting much attention. Sagasta has found the key to the problem and proposes to form them into battalions destined for the Spanish possessions in Africa.

The government, it is said, has decided to authorize General Rios to grant reforms in the Visayas islands on the lines demanded by the inhabitants and to concentrate his forces at Mindanao, as there are only 450 men garrisoning the Visayas.

The Spanish ministers also decided to protest to the government at Washington against the refusal of the Americans to permit Spanish troops to be sent to the Visayas, while, it is claimed, the insurgents are constantly receiving arms and cannon with which to attack other islands, "which the Americans permit without even pretending to intervene."

The Spanish cabinet, it is added, will acquaint its Paris commissioners with these contentions in order that they may be used in the peace negotiations.

Finally, it is announced, the government here would inform the government at Washington that it had decided to send re-enforcements to the Visayas, and it has ordered seven batteries of artillery in Andalusia to get ready to start for the Philippine islands in 24 hours.

In addition to this the cabinet will repeat its protests against the insurgents continuing to hold Spanish prisoners in the Philippine islands.

The government here estimates that there are 200,000 people in Porto Rico who desire to return to Spain.

The government is seeking the consent of the United States to send Spanish troops from Manila to the Visayas islands to suppress the rebellion there, so as to avoid the necessity of dispatching troops from Spain.

BUTCHERY AT ILOILO.

Insurgents Capture Suburbs and Massacre Women and Children.

MANILA, Oct. 1.—Aguinaldo has landed 700 armed men near Iloilo. Other insurgent troops, under General Lucban, are marching south to join him.

The suburbs of Iloilo have been taken by the insurgents, and many Spaniards have been killed. At Nuevacaceres the captain of the civil guard, with his wife and four children, his lieutenant, the latter's wife and four other women have been murdered. Three children are missing.

The fact that the leaders of the anti-Aguinaldo movement in the northern provinces, which centers its hopes in the United States, were not officially represented at the independence celebration and were indicted individually has cause a sinister impression.

At this celebration Aguinaldo declared that he favored following the principle of the Monroe doctrine—Philippines for the Filipinos.

He called upon all loyal subjects to die, if need be, in defending their liberty, and never to permit any foreign government to have control. He did not refer to America or the subject of a protectorate.

The Wisconsin's Christening.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 1.—The Wisconsin battleship commission has decided on Miss Elizabeth Stephenson, daughter of ex-Congressman Isaac M. Stephenson of Marinette, to christen the battleship Wisconsin at the launching event which will take place at San Francisco on Nov. 25. It has been decided to use wine at the ceremony. A silver service and a design of a badger emblematic of the state, will be presented to the battleship. Governor Scofield and other state officers, besides a large number of prominent citizens of the state, will accompany the commissioners on the trip.

No Word From Aguinaldo.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Senor Agoncillo, Aguinaldo's agent, is still without advices from his government. He telegraphed for instructions soon after his arrival here and yesterday afternoon cabled a further message of inquiry to Aguinaldo, but up to a late hour last night no reply to any of the messages had reached here. Senor Lopez, Agoncillo's secretary, stated last night there could be no definite plans settled upon pending receipt of the expected cablegram from Aguinaldo, but said it was probable Agoncillo would call on the president.

Ellen Osborn's Fashion Letter

Importers' sample cards and the council chambers of the designers promise a brilliant winter to follow the quiet summer of the war. The fashion of the day lends itself to gorgeous effect, and with jewels, exquisite embroideries, draperies of rare old laces, and the full rich colorings of satins and brocades, receptions and ballrooms should present striking pictures.

The vogue of white and of soft, creamy satin for evening wear increases, rather than declines. The new weaves are "sympathetic," in one enthusiast's phrase; they yield, almost like a delicate wool, to the figure.

Magnificent, large-patterned brocades are flowered with iris or orchids. White China brocades are covered with blurred designs of roses. Small-patterned brocades in blue and heliotrope, and in pink and crimson appear.

Opalescent, shot and watered silks are shown. Black watered silks are heavy but exceedingly flexible and lustrous. Pink and blue taffetas pile the counters.

There are indications that dresses of white velvet, combined with lace, will be seen in unusual numbers. Among lighter materials, tulle, lisse, mousseline de soi and chiffon are in even more than their wonted variety.

Lace would need a chapter. There is seemingly no use to which it can be put for which it will not be employed.

As to color, perhaps pink, next to white, will lead. Pink and black are constantly combined. Rose pink is in great demand, and old rose is revived. Delicate shades of raspberry pink are used with green and with greenish gray. Blue is almost as popular as during the summer. Yellow and mauve, violet and silver and pale green and white are not new combinations; they offer themselves every autumn with a not unwelcome regularity.

It is almost too early to say whether the black and white of which we have lately seen so much will survive the frosts, but from present indications black silk dresses with gimps of white guipure net or of cream silk laid

TWO NOVEL EVENING DRESSES.

in fine tucks will to some extent continue the magpie combination.

As to the cut of evening gowns, it is the decree of the present that skirts shall be lavishly trimmed. There is a movement to revive the high Empire belt, and a decided tendency towards harlequin effects in a different treatment of the two sides of the bodice, and especially the sleeves, where these are not abolished. Some of the most recent designs justify, for example, a trail of roses over one shoulder and a black velvet strap over the other with a twist of tulle falling upon the arm.

We have grown accustomed to the strap for sleeve substitution, but this winter there are new variations. The straps, if used, are adorned with jeweled sides, or are arranged in zigzags, from below the arm to the top of the decolletage and then across the shoulder. If long sleeves are used with a low-cut gown, they are allowed to drop from the shoulder to show the top of the arm; the latest wrinkle being to cut the top of the transparent sleeve in deep Vandyke points and catch these for support to velvet straps, the favorite paste or jeweled buckles being used for fastenings.

The newest sleeve, however, is a twist of tulle or chiffon, drooping upon the arm without strap or other visible means of holding the bodice in place. The effect at first glance is startling, and the most that can be adduced in favor of the whim is that to narrow shouldered women the slight additional breadth given to the figure is not unbecoming.

The decolletage may be square, heart-shaped, round or pointed. It is rumored that an extremely low cut will be introduced, but so far as concerns toilettes already completed there is little variation from previous seasons, the appearance of a lower line in front being given by the absence of the strap and the presence of the wisp of falling tulle, rather than by any real difference in the corsage. That dresses are cut very low in the back may be admitted the point in some cases reaching nearly to the waist. Such a style is supremely ugly and ought not to last.

The princess gown will not be abandoned, though it is suffering many modifications. A recent example of its use was in the fashioning of a dress of soft yellow satin, of the shade of the Marechal Niel rose. A wide Indian scarf of a delicate white crape, embroidered with pink flowers was draped to form the heart-shaped decolletage and fell over the entire front of the skirt. Black tulle puffs answered for sleeves, and at the right of the corsage was a cluster of pink roses and white ostrich tips.

A princess dress lately worn by Bernhardt was more easily recognizable. The material was a beautiful flowered brocade on a white ground, and the cut was of a long, sweeping style, with yet a suggestion of looseness, beloved of Bernhardt before it was of fashion. A spray of flowers caught the draperies at the side of the waist, but not in such manner as to interfere with the line of the figure. A deep flounce of exquisite lace fell about the decolletage.

A dress of embroidered white gauze over white satin has a square-cut corsage with trimmings of lace ruffles. On one shoulder is a cluster of roses and at the waist a broad belt of rose-pink velvet with a diamond buckle. The gauze draperies of the skirt are embroidered in delicate vine patterns.

Recent examples of dancing dresses include black tulle with pink bows, black tulle over white satin, pink and white striped moire partly veiled in tulle, white taffeta with flounces of accordion-plaited chiffon, white accordion chiffon embroidered in silver and brilliants, turquoise blue tulle with sash of orange velvet, flashing white and gold net with contrasting sleeves of wrinkled black net, and a pretty rose-pink toilette with tulle ruchings running over the whole dress and supported by tiny puffings of white mousseline de soie.

A striking black and white toilette has an open skirt of white satin with the sides crossing at the waist, but spreading below to display an underskirt of black Chantilly. The satin is handsomely ornamented with jet designs. One side of the low bodice is of lace, the other of satin, and there are black velvet straps across the shoulders.

Long over dresses of lace—either black or white—are used with satin skirts, instead of lace covering the entire gown. Sometimes this lace overdress has a princess cut and is prolonged at the back to fall upon the train.

An approved bodice finish is an edge of black velvet bordering the corsage top next the skin and giving an effective background for jewels. Below this comes a lace scarf fastened by a jeweled slide in front, and having its long ends caught again to the waist belt of black velvet.

High bodices for theater wear show many fanciful designs. Some of the prettiest have sleeves of a material contrasting with the waist, as for example, white lace with a black lace bodice, or with one of pink chiffon.

The hair is worn low quite as often as high, and the approved ornament is a wreath of fine green leaves. For those who do not fancy this, wisps of tulle are available. One begins to see carrings, but not in large numbers. The strings of pearls so fashionable last winter are still worn.

A striking evening wrap is a long cape of orange velvet nearly covered with frills of black Chantilly laid over orange chiffon. The frills are so arranged as to form a deep point back and front, and are headed by a steel and jet passementerie, encircling the shoulders. The extravagantly high tabbed collar is finished in front with a scarf of yellow lace and a bunch of roses.

A shorter cape is of white satin veiled with a deep flounce of black chiffon. There is a high collar with a full ruffle of white lace, with cascades down the front over stole ends of black chiffon. The finishing touch is given by the large outstaning revers of black velvet.

ELLEN OSBORN

A New Word from France.

In Paris the owner of a horseless carriage is a "gentlemotorman."

EVACUATION OF CUBA

Spain Will No Longer Contend For Delay.

MANY SOLDIERS WILL REMAIN.

Will Become Cuban Citizens—United States Will Probably Be In Full Control Jan. 1—Camps Meade and Black to Be Abandoned.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—If the present plans are carried out, it is expected that the evacuation of Cuba will have been completed by Dec. 31, and the new year will see the American colors raised all over the island.

It is now believed the plans will be carried out, because advices yesterday from the military commission in Havana indicate that Spain will no longer contend for delay. It is said that the transports which took the prisoners from Santiago will promptly return to Cuba to facilitate a speedy evacuation. These transports have a capacity of 25,000. It is not likely that more than 50,000 or 75,000 soldiers will return to Spain. The other 50,000 or 60,000 will remain, lay down their arms and become citizens of the island. This, it is considered, will be in nowise objectionable to this government.

Secretary Alger said yesterday that 50,000 or 60,000 United States troops will be stationed in Cuba at points which will probably be decided upon within the next few days. It is the plan of the administration not to consolidate any great number of troops in any one place. The army of occupation will probably consist of four infantry divisions and one cavalry division. The plan of keeping the Seventh army corps together will doubtless be abandoned, and on this point General Fitz-Hugh Lee has been in conference with Secretary Alger.

Colonel Hecker of the quartermaster's department, who has been in the south for the last two weeks looking over points that were most suitable for embarkation, has recommended Charleston and Savannah. The report of Colonel Hecker has been submitted to Quartermaster General Ludington.

It has been decided to abandon Camp Meade, Camp Black and the camp at Lexington, Ky. Secretary Alger said that the troops there would be sent to camps in the south not yet settled upon, but the winter camps will all be within the limits of Georgia and South Carolina. Orders will be issued very soon for the movement of troops, so that they may not be exposed to the hardships of the northern climate.

When asked as to the disposition of the whole army, Secretary Alger said that with 12,000 men in Porto Rico, 20,000 in the Philippines and from 50,000 to 60,000 in Cuba there would not be more than about 50,000 left. These would either be in the southern camps or assigned to stations.

"How long will they remain in the southern camps?" Secretary Alger was asked.

"As long as they are needed in the service," he replied.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Results of Yesterday's Games In the National League.

At Washington—										R.	H.	E.
Wash'ton..	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—	5	13	4
New York.	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	2—	5	10	5

Batteries—Killen and McGuire; Rusie and Warner.

At Boston—										R.	H.	E.
Boston.....	0	4	1	0	0	2	0	0	*—	7	16	2
Philadel'a..	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—	3	9	2

Batteries—Nichols and Bergen; Donahue and Murphy.

At Baltimore—										R.	H.	E.
Baltimore..	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	*—	6	5	3
Brooklyn..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0—	3	11	3

Batteries—McJames and Clarke; Miller and Smith.

Second game—										R.	H.	E.
Baltimore.....	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0	6	1
Brooklyn.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0	4	0

Batteries—Hughes and Robinson; Dunn, Kennedy and Ryan. Called on account of darkness.

Table of Percentages.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Boston....	94	45	.678	Philadel'a	69	66	.511
Baltimore.	89	48	.650	Pittsburg.	67	72	.482
Cincinnati	85	57	.599	Louisville.	64	75	.459
Cleveland.	77	60	.562	Brooklyn.	50	81	.360
Chicago....	78	64	.549	Wash'ton.	46	92	.333
New York	72	66	.522	St. Louis..	35	100	.259

The Dreyfus Agitation.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—The walls of the city were placarded yesterday with the announcement that the anti-Dreyfus meeting which was to be held tomorrow by the followers of Paul Deroulede had been abandoned in order to allow those who would have attended to visit the various Dreyfus meetings and shout "Vive armee!" and "Vive France!" A duel has been arranged between M. Charles Ernest Paulmier, deputy from Calvados, whose wife on Sept. 23 went to the office of La Lanterne and twice shot M. Ollivier, the editor's secretary, because, as she asserted, the paper had slandered her and her husband, and M. Turot, the writer of the article the publication of which led to the shooting. The meeting will take place today.

It is rumored that Dreyfus has already been transferred from the Isle du Diablo to Cayenne, where he awaits a steamer to bring him to a French or an Algerian port.

No General Miners' Strike.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 1.—M. D. Ratchford, president of the Mine Workers' union, says that the report of an impending general strike among the miners is untrue. "There will be no general strike," said Mr. Ratchford, "during the life of the Chicago contract, which lasts until next May. What will happen in the future no one can tell. There will be no trouble anywhere as long as the operators live up to the contract, and the organization will protect them. There will be local strikes wherever the operators violate the agreement, but as far as this office is advised there is nothing of that kind in prospect now."

Preparing to Receive the Ancients.

QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—Great preparations are being made here for the reception of the Ancient and Honorable artillery of Boston, who are expected to arrive, 80 strong, next Monday. They will be reviewed by the governor general on the historic Plains of Abraham and have issued invitations to about 100 guests in Quebec to attend a grand banquet to be given at the Chateau Frontenac.

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Miss Johnston's recitals of her dialect sketches "of the days that are no more" have found high favor with audiences and are recognized as being read in pure folk lore.

Miss Johnston has a finely illustrated lecture on "Original Portraits of Washington" having for years devoted herself to historical research and composition making a specialty of "Washingtoniana." and her book "Original Portraits of Washington" is acknowledged authority on that subject.

A later work "George Washington Day by Day" is a mine of varied information and invaluable as a text book.

She is a Daughter of the American Revolution and for two years Historian General of the National Association.

An audience worthy of this gifted lecturer should assemble to greet her, for with her qualities and endowments no one is better fitted than Miss Johnston to combine pleasure and instruction in an evening's entertainment.

IN TOUGHEST PORT JERVIS.

A Case of Domestic Infelicity in Which a Soldier Figured.

Blanch Wood, of Port Jervis, caused the arrest of her husband, George Wood, on a charge of assault in the third degree. The case was held Thursday afternoon and Wood's defense was that, suspecting his wife of being too intimate with William Winfield, one of the U. S. regulars, who is home on furlough, he accused Winfield of having wronged him. Winfield he says admitted everything and agreed to furnish him evidence of his wife's faithlessness. He accordingly accompanied Winfield to his home and remained outside while Winfield went in the house. He watched them through a window and when at last they came out on the stoop ann stood there in a loving attitude, he could stand it no longer and rushing up knocked his wife from the piazza.

Mrs. Wood put a number of witnesses on the stand, among them private Winfield, and Wood had only one to substantiate his story, but he succeeded in convincing half the jury that he was more sinned against then sinning and a disagreement resulted and Wood was discharged.

A HORSE THIEF CAPTURED.

The Man Who Stole a Port Jervis Livery Rig Arrested at Tuxedo.

Gregg Porter, the Port Jervis liveryman whose rig was stolen by a man who hired it, Wednesday, recovered his buggy near Goshen, Thursday, where the thief had traded it for another wagon.

Friday morning an officer at Tuxedo arrested a man who was driving a horse that answered the description of the one taken from Mr. Porter. A Port Jervis man sent there in the afternoon identified the horse and the thief.

The thief could doubtless have got away if he had not got drunk in Goshen. Sobriety is a prime essential for any one who engages in the risky business of horse stealing.

Special Meeting of Mamakating and Wallkill Horse Thief Detecting Society.

A special meeting of the Mamakating, Wallkill and Crawford Horse Thief Detecting Society, will be held at Bennett's Hotel, Bloomingburgh, Saturday, Oct. 8, at 2 o'clock. Members and any one wishing to join are requested to be present.

Service of Song at Christ Church.

The following music will be rendered at the Christ Church service of song tomorrow evening:

Prepare ye the way of the Lord.....Garrett
When I think upon thy goodness.....Hayden
The Lord is my shepherd.....Palmer
Far from the world.....Herbert
O Lord, at evening time let there be light.....Price

The choir and pianist will be assisted in the musical programme by Miss Lottie Wells, violinist, and Miss Louise Predmore, violinist.

Medical Students Resuming Their Studies.

W. Gordon Emery and Claude G. Crane went to New York, to-day, to resume their studies in the Homeopathic Medical College, which reopens, next week. Merritt I. Beers, who is also a student in the same college, will return to it, Tuesday.

W. C. T. U. Notes.

—All who did not attend the sociable held Thursday afternoon at Mrs. James H. Horton's missed a rare treat. Many thanks are due, and were given, Mrs. Horton for the delightful manner in which she entertained. The vegetables were deliciously prepared and the table arranged most daintily. The business meeting was very interesting and the social hour enjoyed by all. The Bradnack music firm had delivered a new piano and Mrs. Geo. E. Bradnack was present and finely rendered instrumental music, which was much appreciated.

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OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

The News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from Our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide-Awake Correspondents.

—Wagner's drug store in Monticello was entered one night recently and fifty or sixty cents in pennies stolen from the money drawer. The thief also tried to help himself to a bottle of "oil be joyful" but drew a bottle of witch hazel instead.

—A bold young man entered Crain's drug store in Monticello, a few days ago, and while the clerk was drawing some oil reached over and took $1.25 from the money drawer. He was caught in the very act but was not at all discomfited but paid for the oil and went out as if nothing had happened. Other sums had been taken from the drawer before and an officer is now looking for the bold thief.

—J. M. Covart has bought the corner adjoining Osborn's feed store at the Monticello depot and will at once begin the erection of a large hotel on the property. He will dispose of his livery business.

—Geo. W. Davenport, of Barryville, has been granted a pension of $6 a month.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Smith, of New York, who have been guests at the Rockwell for several weeks, caught in Kiamesha Lake, in a half day's fishing on last Saturday, seven bass. The total weight of the seven was twenty-six pounds.—*Watchman.*

—A very pretty home wedding took place at Woodbourne on Tuesday last, when Miss Pilma I. Jelliff, daughter of Judge Reuben R. Jelliff, became the wife of Jay Simpson, of Fallsburgh. There was a large party of invited guests present and in fact the event was the leading social topic of the village. The happy couple will go to housekeeping at Fallsburgh Station.

—About twenty teachers attended the examination for certificates held at Livingston Manor, Sept. 24 and 25. General complaint was made that the examination in drawing was very difficult.

—P. H. Woolsey is improving his water system by connecting several large springs which he recently purchased, making it now one of the finest systems in the county. The water is all from pure springs; the reservoir is covered and has 178 feet head.—*Livingston Manor Ensign.*

—There are few better arranged and more cheery and tasty houses built anywhere than builder Cotter has turned over to the Supervisors for the Sheriff's residence. It is now ready for occupancy and will be taken possession of by Sheriff Fulton in a few days. After he vacates the court house the rooms heretofore occupied by the Sheriff's family will be converted into offices for the use of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, judges, and a room for the Grand Jury. —*Watchman.*

—The Grand Jury inspected the county jail and found it in most excellent condition.

—Frank Smith is erecting three new houses on his lot near P. H. Woolsey & Co.'s sash and blind factory. The houses are well built and desirable for tenents. —*Livingston Manor Ensign.*

—F. W. Martin has purchased of August Lapp, his house on River street, in Livingston Manor, for $1,400.

—Daniel Nutting, of Hotel Nutting, and George Gosselin, of the Central House, ran a 100-yard foot race, Thursday afternoon, on lower Main street. The purse was for $40, and was won by Mr. Nutting by fifteen necks. The race was interesting, and about three hundred people witnessed the sport. Messrs. Gosselin and Nutting are heavy weights, and each is supposed to weigh 210 pounds.—*Liberty Register.*

—During the present week Elmer Winner has shipped a carload of pigs to the New York market. He purchased thirty-four of the lot of Milton Krum, who has raised forty-eight nice pigs this year from the refuse of the tables of the Hotel Wawonda, where he sent a team each day to get the waste. Pork is cheaper this year than in the past, and the price for nice pigs is between three and four cents a pound, live weight.—*Liberty Register.*

—Seventeen men and two teams worked on the road from Livingston Manor to Shandlee Lake at the road "bee," and a quarter of a mile of good road was made. Other "bees" will be held until the road is completed.

—All the rooms in the new Liberty House have been engaged for the winter. Mrs. Houlihon is conducting the hotel.

—A force of eighty-two Italians is now at work on the Monticello-Fallsburgh electric road.

—A new school house is to be erected between Liberty and Parksville to take the place of the one destroyed by fire. It is to cost $650.

—The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Sullivan County Sunday School Association will be held at Monticello, October 5th and 6th. A very interesting programme of both speaking and singing will be provided.

—Despite sensational reports of suicide in the case of Thomas Crance, the Liberty boy who shot himself in the head, Sunday, Sept. 25, the facts in the case warrant no such belief. It seems reasonably certain that he pointed the pistol at himself, in a spirit of boyish bravado, and no more meant to kill himself than he did the boys at whom he pointed the pistol a few minutes before.

—The 143d Regiment, N. Y. V. will hold its eleventh annual reunion at Harleyville, on Tuesday, October 11th. The Monticello band and good speakers will be on hand. A. J. Glennie has been engaged as orator of the day. All members of the regiment are urgently requested to be present as there is business of importance to be transacted.

—P. W. Lambert, of Hoboken, has begun the erection of a summer residence on Champlin avenue, Liberty.

—Nineteen buildings are now in process of erection in Liberty, and several others will be begun in the near future.

LOW RATES ON THE O. AND W.

Conventions and Meetings on Account of Which Cheap Tickets Will Be Sold.

For the following meetings, conventions etc., the New York, Ontario and Western Railway will make a rate of a fare and one-third on the certificate plan. For further particulars, apply to the nearest O. and W. station agent.

Oct. 10th to 14th, National Assn. Retail Liquor Dealers' Convention, at Ashville, N. C.

Oct. 11th to 14th, American Bottlers' Protective Assn., at Baltimore, Md.

Oct. 12th to 31st, General Conference of Free Methodists, at Chicago, Ill.

Oct. 5th to 12th, Masonic Grand Lodge (F. & A. M.) Columbus, O.

Oct. 15th to 20th, National Prison Assn., at Indianapolis, Ind.

Oct. 10th to 14th, National Assn. of Oil, Paint and Varnish Dealers, at New York City.

Oct. 10th to 12th, American Assn. of Opticians, at New York City.

Oct. 13th to 18th, State Convention of the W. C. T. U., at Reading, Pa.

Oct. 12th to 18th, Rochester, N. Y. Genessee Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Oct. 4th to 8th. Odd Fellows Convention (G. U. O. O. F.) at St. Louis, Mo. 1t

Not Yet Identified.

The body of the girl killed at Mountainville, Wednesday evening, by being struck by an Erie train, has not yet been identified. The evidence given before the coroner's jury leads to the belief that she was deaf and dumb.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Notes of Sunday Services and Other Matters of Religious Interest.

—Old School Baptist Church—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. at New Vernon, and in this city at 3 p. m. by Elder H. C. Ker.

—German Lutheran Church—In the Y. M. C. A. rooms, North street. Preaching in the evening at 7:30 by Rev. William Drach. Sunday School at 2 p. m. All are welcome.

—W. C. T. U., 134 North street—Services at 2:30 o'clock. The public is invited to attend. Miss Angeline Brundage, leader.

—Faith Mission, 11 Mill street, Elder D. L. Conkling, pastor. You will be made welcome to any or all of the services at the Mission. Sunday School, 2 p. m.; gospel service at 3 p. m.

—Free Christian Church—Sunday School, 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Gospel Temperance Union this evening.

—Bethel A. M. E. Church, Rev. T. J. Jackson, pastor—Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School, 3:00 p. m.; Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation and welcome is extended to all.

—St. Paul's M. E. Church, Rev. Frank L. Wilson, D. D., pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; class meeting, 9:45 a. m.; Junior Epworth League, 3 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting, 6:30 p. m. Seats free and strangers cordially invited. At 3 p. m., a union mass meeting in the interests of Prison Reform. An address will be given by W. F. M. Round, of New York.

—North Street M. E. Church—Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Robert Lawrence, Superintendent. All are invited. On Thursday evening prayer meeting.

—Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles Beattie, D. D., pastor—Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; C. E. meeting 6:30 p. m. Juniors meet at 3 p. m.

—First Presbyterian Church—Regular preaching service in the morning at 11 o'clock and in the evening at 7 30 by Rev David Winters, pastor elect. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., and Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

—A. M. E. Zion Church, Rev. J. W. McCoy, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 45 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m.

—Christ Church (Universalist) Assembly Rooms 61 North street. Rev. J. Newton Emery pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior Union at 3 p. m. All are cordially invited. Morning subject: "Remember me" followed by the communion service. Evening, service of song and devotion, with short address by the pastor. Subject: "The central principle of Universalism."

—First Congregational Church, Rev. W. A. Robinson, D. D., pastor—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; young people's service, 6:30 p. m. Cordial welcome to all. Morning subject: "A caricature no disproof." Evening subject: "Insolvent debtors."

—Grace (Episcopal) Church—Rev. D. J. Evans, B. A., rector—17th Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion, 7 30 a. m.; Sunday School, 9 45 a. m.; sermon and holy communion, 11 a. m., evening prayer and address by W. M. F. Round, Secretary of the Prison Association of New York city, 7 30 p. m.

—Y. M. C. A.—No services to-morrow.

—First Baptist Church, Rev. Frank A. Heath, pastor. Bible School at 9:30 a. m.; morning service at 11 a. m.; prayer meeting at 3:00 p. m. Seats free. You are welcome. Morning subject: "Gethsemene and Christ's mysterious sorrow." Evening subject: "The heart that is wrong in the sight of God."

—North Street Congregational Church—Rev. W. Henry Morton pastor. Morning service at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m., evening service, 7:30. Seats free. Strangers welcome. Morning subject: "Seeking, hoping and waiting for the Christian workers' attitude toward God," followed by communion. Evening subject: "The central figure of christianity."

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DUN'S REVIEW.

Unusually Small Number of Failures For September.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

Failures in September have been about $6,700,000 and for the quarter about $22,875,000. No report covering the exact month or quarter is possible this week, but the returns indicate a smaller aggregate of failures than in any other month in many years except in August of this year and smaller for the quarter than in any other quarter since 1892.

In fact, excepting one quarter in that year, no other appears to have shown a smaller aggregate unless more than ten years ago, when the volume of solvent business was very much smaller than it is now. Evidently the complete returns to be given next week will show that the state of business is in that respect more satisfactory than it has ever been unless in one quarter of 1892.

Changes are all for the better excepting the fall of cotton to the lowest point for 50 years, and even the lowest price of 1848, considering difference of qualities, was perhaps not lower than prices this week. After sales at 5.31 cents on Monday there has been a slight recovery, with hope that so low a price might prove the bottom, but with a good crop the lowest price of a year has never been reached in its first month.

With pig iron firm everywhere, in spite of the extraordinary output, and bessemer held at $10.40 at Pittsburg, while valley producers report 230,000 tons sold for delivery before June next, the consumption is evidently growing.

Wheat rose 2½ cents, but on Thursday declined sharply, closing 1¾ cents lower for the week, notwithstanding very heavy exports amounting for the week to 4,911,022 bushels against 5,092,196 last year, and for four weeks to 15,011,962 bushels against 20,661,315 last year, flour included.

Failures for the week have been 195 in the United States against 194 last year, and 17 in Canada against 34 last year.

COMMISSIONERS RETURN.

Have Little to Say of Their Work In Hawaii.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—The Hawaiian commissioners returned yesterday on the steamer Gaelic. Little regarding their work in the islands and their probable recommendations could be learned, though they were willing to talk of the beauties of the islands and their kind and enthusiastic reception by the islanders. They did say, however, that the islands are enjoying great prosperity, though all agreed that it would take an immense sum of money to develop their resources.

It was intimated that great consideration would be given by the committee in its report regarding the invasion of the island by orientals. The islanders are already complaining of the increasing hordes of laborers, especially from Japan, the little brown men flocking to the islands in great numbers in anticipation of a restriction act.

The commissioners denied any differences with President Dole and expressed themselves as highly appreciative of the assistance rendered by that gentleman to the committee. The commissioners will probably go east tonight and will present their report to the president and will later appear before congress.

BOND CASES IN COURT.

Mandamus Proceedings Against Secretary Gage.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Two mandamus cases have been filed in the supreme court of the District of Columbia against Secretary Lyman J. Gage, growing out of the issue of bonds to carry on the war. In the first case William H. Wharton of Jersey City sets forth that he was a subscriber for $520 of the bonds. He empowered the Produce Exchange Trust company of New York to make the necessary advancements on the bonds, holding them as collateral. Thereafter Secretary Gage refused to make this allotment of bonds to the ground, it is understood, that the subscription was not bona fide, but was made in the interest of a third party.

The second suit is instituted by George B. Wrightman and seeks to restrain Secretary Gage from setting aside the award of many small lots of bonds, aggregating $335,340, which were to be handled through the Produce Exchange Trust company. The court fixed the hearing for Oct. 14. Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle, who was the predecessor of Mr. Gage, is the attorney for the plaintiffs. The cases are considered to be a test of many similar cases.

Mataafa May Return to Samoa.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The state department gives confirmation to the report that it has given its assent through the American consulate at Samoa, to the return to Samoa of Mataafa in exile of ten years of the former king. Mataafa. It is assumed that the chief is to be made king to succeed the late King Malietea who died about a month ago.

Missing Man Found.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 1.—Henry Gray, superintendent of the Duluth Rolling Mills, who so mysteriously disappeared from the Weddell House Tuesday night, has been found. He was located by the police. Mr. Gray is a sick man, and a friend and physician are in constant attendance. Mr. Gray was supposed to have had considerable money in his possession when he disappeared, and it was thought for a time that he had met with foul play.

The Panama Strike.

PANA, Ills., Oct. 1.—Sheriff Cobrin organized by 100 deputies and a number of citizens heavily armed left Pana at 10 o'clock last night for Tower Hill, seven miles east to relieve the 90 negroes captured by striking miners who held up the train on which the negroes were coming to Pana. Five hundred more left on the Big Four for Tower Hill to join the guards in charge of the negroes. The militia paraded the streets of Pana last night.

Postmasters Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—The following [illegible]

THE ARGUS MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

Sudan Expedition.

CAIRO, Oct. 1.—The Camerian Highlanders, which it was reported General Kitchener had left at Fashoda, are [illegible]

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 1.—Partly cloudy to-night; increasing cloudiness Sunday; fair Sunday night; light east winds increasing.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 58°; 12 m., 83°; 3 p. m., 86°.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Oct. 5—The "Maine" Avenged, at Casino.
—Oct. 10—Mary Powell excursion.
—Oct. 12—Excursion to Carbondale, via Erie Railroad.
—Oct. 24—Annual fall excursion to New York, via O. and W. Railroad.
—Oct. 25—War graphaphone, at Casino.
—Sept. 29—"When London Sleeps," at Casino.

SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the 23d Senatorial District, comprising the counties of Orange and Rockland, are requested to meet at the place of holding their last town or ward caucuses on Saturday, Oct. 1st, 1898 (unless otherwise ordered or said delegates have been already elected), to select delegates to represent them in the Senatorial Convention, to be held at the Court House, in the city of Newburgh, on Tuesday, October 4th, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for State Senator, and to transact such other business as may properly come before such convention.

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CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Democrats of the Seventeenth Congressional District of the State of New York are hereby requested to send delegates to a convention, to be held in Middletown, N. Y., at the Casino, on the 7th day of October, 1898, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of placing in nomination a Democratic candidate for Member of Congress in said district, and to transact such other business as may properly come before said convention.

By order of Congressional Committee.
Dated September 20th, 1898.
A. SEMBLER, Chairman

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

ASSEMBLY.

For Member of Assembly (First District),
JAMES E. WARD, of Crawford.
For Member of Assembly (Second District),
DANIEL P. SCHULTZ, of Port Jervis.

STATE.

For Governor,
AUGUSTUS VANWYCK, of Kings
For Lieutenant-Governor,
ELLIOT DANFORTH, of Chenango.
For Secretary of State,
GEORGE W. BATTEN, of Niagara.
For Controller,
EDWARD S. ATWATER, of Dutchess.
For Treasurer,
ELLIOTT B. NORRIS, of Wayne.
For Attorney-General,
THOMAS F. CONWAY, of Clinton
For Engineer and Surveyor,
MARTIN SCHENCK, of Rensselaer.

The Citizens' Union, which regarded Roosevelt as an ideal candidate before he donned Platt's collar, has no use for him now and the leaders of the organization say that they will make another nomination for Governor.

The latest development in the Roosevelt tax dodging case is the announcement that he has directed his attorneys to discontinue the proceedings instituted to compel the Tax Commissioners of New York city to vacate his personal property assessment.

The *Herald* says that Col. Roosevelt may not be allowed to discontinue his tax dodging case, but that it may be carried through the courts as an indirect but effectual way of securing a judicial settlement of the mooted question of his residence, and therefore of his eligibility as a candidate for Governor.

A handful of men calling themselves "Chicago Platform Democrats" met at the Union Square Hotel, in New York, Friday evening, and nominated Henry George for Governor, Elliot Danforth for Lieutenant-Governor, and candidates for other State offices. The proceedings were very turbulent, and a large number of those present at the meeting refused to have anything to do with making a ticket.

Hero worship and war sentiment can have no place in the campaign in this State. Voters will not allow themselves to be blinded to the fact that the issue is approval or disapproval of bad and extravagant government. In spite all attempts to evade and escape responsibility, the Republican party is on trial for the record it has made during Governor Black's administration. A Republican victory will mean that the people of the State are indifferent to extravagance, corruption, incompetence and the abuse of power, and Republican officials will feel that they have license and warrant to do as they please with the people's money, and the looting of the treasury that took place under Black will be put petty larceny as compared with will take place if the Republican given another lease of life.

CHINA'S EMPEROR

Said to Have Committed Suicide, But Was Probably Assassinated

NANCY GUILFORD

Arrested, To day, at a London Boarding House.

The Fate of China's Emperor—Suicide or Assassination.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—A special dispatch from Shanghai, to-day, says telegrams furnished by the local governor to a Chinese paper there allege that the Emperor of China committed suicide on September 21st, after signing decrees which placed the dowager Empress at the head of affairs in China. This is understood to mean that the Emperor was assassinated.

All English speaking secretaries and the principal members of the Chinese Foreign Office, it is stated, have been seized and banished.

A later special dispatch from Shanghai said it was semi-officially announced there that the Emperor of China committed suicide on Sept. 21st.

NANCY GUILFORD ARRESTED.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Nancy Guilford, the midwife of Bridgeport, Conn., who is wanted by the American police on a charge of having been connected with the death of Emma Gill, has been arrested at a boarding house here. She gave the name of McAllister. She was taken to the Bow street police court and remanded.

ATTACKED BY CHINESE MOBS.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—The foreign office, to-day, received a dispatch from the British Minister at Pekin, saying that Mr. Mortimer, a member of the British legation, on returning home, yesterday, with a lady, was stoned by a mob. Later in the day some American missionaries were similarly attacked as was the Chinese secretary of the United States legation. The latter's ribs were broken. Steps have been taken to call the attention of the Chinese Government to these outrages.

A FRENCH DUEL.

PARIS, Oct. 1,—A duel between Deputy Charles Ernest Paulmier, and M. Turot of the *Lantern*, was fought to-day, with rapiers. Turot was thrice wounded in the thigh and side and Paulmier was slightly wounded on the lip.

M. Ollivier, secretary of the editor of the *Lantern*, was shot twice recently by Mme. Paulmier because, she asserted the paper had grossly slandered herself and husband. Paulmier subsequently challenged Turot, who wrote the article referred to.

TO LOCATE CAMPS IN CUBA.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1—The War Department has decided to send boards of officers to Cuba to investigate and report upon the locations for camps for the army of occupation in that Island. Each board will consist of a quartermaster, commissary and surgeon. Havana, Cienfugos, Matanzas and Martiel will be visited. Six posts will be established.

FATAL POWDER MILL EXPLOSION.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—An explosion occurred, to-day, at the works of the Laflin & Rand Powder Company, at Mountain View, near Paterson. Two men were killed. The accident was caused by some foreign substance getting into the machinery with the powder as it was being reduced.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES TO BE NOTIFIED.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Senator McCarren, Chairman of the Democratic State campaign committee, said to-day that on Tuesday night the Democratic candidates would be at the Hoffman House, and would be formally notified of their nomination by special committee.

THE ROOSEVELT TAX CASE

NEW YORK, Oct 1.—Justice Cohen, in Supreme Court, to-day, signed an order directing the Commissioner of Assessments and Taxes to show cause, on Monday next, why the proceedings brought by Theodore Roosevelt to have his personal property exempt from taxation should not be discontinued.

FIGHTING NEAR CAPE TOWN.

LONDON, Oct 1—A special dispatch from Cape Town says the German troops have indecisively engaged the rebels at Ogosea. Eleven soldiers were killed. Reinforcements have been asked for.

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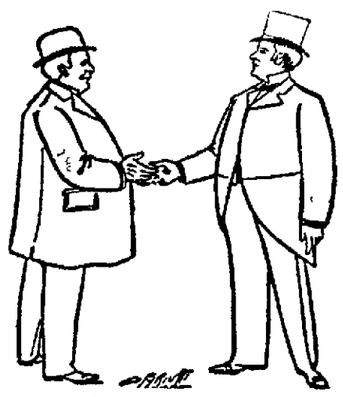

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—Violettes de Parme soap 15c a box at W. D. Olney's.
—Men's box calf shoes at C. D. Hanford's.
—Spice extracts at McMonagle & Rogers'.
—Oil book lost.
—Dr. Valk will be in town Oct. 5th.
—New line of fall goods received at Tompkins'.
—Large line of samples for suits at Stephen Wolf's.
—Onions stolen. Reward offered.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—*Remember that the third page of this paper contains good local matter, to-day.*

—Many bicyclists enjoyed moonlight rides, last night.

—There will be a regular meeting of the Water Board, to-night.

—The "Maine Avenged" at the Casino, next Wednesday evening.

—A great many Middletown people are at the Horse Show in Goshen, to-day.

—The perfect weather of the past few days makes many people wish that all seasons were autumn.

—Wood & Horton announce the opening of their feed store and coal yard at New Hampton on Monday, Oct. 3.

—The weather prophets say that owing to the great quantity of rain that has fallen this season, there will be very little if any snow next winter.

—The "Maine Avenged" at the Casino, next Wednesday evening, is a drama founded upon the late war with Spain, and is said to be a most thrilling play.

—The new silk mill at Delhi came near burning recently. The fire started in some kindling wood which had been left in front of the fire box in the engine room.

—The Board of Health of Deerpark has ordered a glandered horse killed. The animal is owned by Mr. Pease, of New York, who is stopping on a farm near Huguenot.

—Do not neglect to attend the union mass meeting at St. Paul's M. E. Church, to-morrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock. W. F. M. Round, of New York, will speak on prisoners and prison life.

—The 24th Separate Company Band, fresh from their recent trip, will give a sacred concert at Midway Park, Sunday afternoon, at three o'clock, and has arranged a special programme for the occasion. 1t

—John P. Loskaris, who purchased the Palace Confectionery, has also bought out the Candy Kitchen, at 17 W. Main street, from S. Chacona, with the name of J. P. Loskaris & Co. We will keep a fine line of confectionery, ice cream and soda water at 34 North street, and fine fruits, nuts, candies, etc., at 17 W. Main street. We wish our share of patronage. 64dtf J. P. LOSKARIS & Co.

PERSONAL.

—Jacob Gunther went to New York, to-day.

—Charles B. Hulse is about after a few days' illness.

—John Schultz, of Burlingham, was in town, Friday.

—Geo. Elliston has lost baggageman's badge No. 23.

—Miss Lillian Adams has gone to Newburgh, for a few days.

—Miss Jennie Schellenbergh has returned from a visit at Atlantic City.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nate Hubbard stopped in this city, Friday, while on their way to Walden.

—Miss Enslin, daughter of Brewmaster Enslin, went to New York for a few days' visit, to-day.

—Miss Teresa McGrath, of New York, who has been visiting in town, returned home, to-day.

—E. W. Schubert, the well known hotel keeper of Bloomingburgh, will sail for Europe, next week.

—Nate Hubbard and Wm. Hornbeck, of Port Jervis, caught forty-five pickerel in Yankee Pond, Thursday.

—Wm. Maskell, a file maker of Paterson, who has been visiting J. J. Cox, returned to his home, to-day.

—Willis Wiggins, of Chillicothe, O., is spending a few days at the home of his brother, John L. Wiggins, in this city.

—Charles L. Purdy, of the Holding House, left town, last night, for Martinsburgh, Lewis county, N. Y., where he will spend a week.

—Mrs. T. A. Shaw and Master Russell went to Wurtsboro on their wheels this afternoon, and will spend Sunday with friends in that vicinity.

—Assemblyman D. P. Schultz, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is again able to be about although very weak. He is convalescing rapidly and will soon be in harness for his political contest which, without doubt, he will win.—*Port Jervis Gazett.*

Erie Railroad Appointments.

R. M. Palmer has been appointed assistant freight agent of the New York, Susquehanna and Western, and Henry Adams resumes his duties as division freight agent on the New York and Delaware divisions and branches of the Erie and Northern Railroad of New Jersey. Mr. Parker also resumes his position as assistant general freight agent of the Erie. These changes will go into effect to day.

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ORANGE COUNTY HORSE SHOW

A Very Large Attendance at the Fourth Annual Exhibition—Perfect Weather Brought Out Many Ladies—Many Showy Rigs—The Awards of Prizes.

As perfect a day as was ever known in any clime did its full share toward making the fourth annual exhibition of the Orange County Horse Show Association at Goshen, to-day, the most successful in its history. The attendance was large and thoroughly representative of all parts of Orange county. The ladies were out in full force and in their finest raiment and, this afternoon, when the boxes and grand stand were filled, their bright costumes and still brighter faces made such a charming picture that many found it of greater interest than the exhibition of the horses on the track.

The Horse Show as a social event has become of more importance with each succeeding year and it is now firmly established in favor with those who are "in the swim" and with all would be swimmers.

The wisdom of the management in abandoning the original plan of a two days' show, and crowding everything into one day, was clearly shown by the increased attendance, greater interest and larger number of entries.

One of the features of the day was the large number of beautiful and showy rigs inside the circle. The Tuxedo contingent was out in full force. The Tuxedo Park Association's tally-ho brought up a large party and about 11 o'clock T. Suffern Tailler, of Tuxedo, tooled his handsome coach "Lightning" into the grounds.

On the Tuxedo coach were James Brown Lord, T. L. Ronalds, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Edgar and Fernando Yznaga.

Mr. Tailler's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer, Reginaldo Ronalds and Mr. French.

Among the newspaper men present is Sheffield Phelps, proprietor of the Jersey City *Journal*, who is a colonel on the staff of Gov. Voorhees, of New Jersey.

The flag presented to the association by Archibald D. Russell, of Tuxedo, was formally accepted by President Hock, who announced that it would be raised by one of the rough riders, Reginald Ronalds, of Tuxedo.

Mr. Ronalds is as modest as he is brave, and had no wish to be paraded on account of his army service, and he left the job of hoisting the flag to a farmer who stood near the flag staff.

AWARDING PRIZES.

The judging of entries for prizes began at 10:30 o'clock. In order to afford variety to the on-lookers the classes were not judged in the order in which they appeared on the catalogue but were taken apparently at random. The following awards have been made:

TROTTERS.

Stallions, four years old or over, kept for service—Stamboul barred, first prize $55; second prize $20.

1st. Lord of the Manor, Gen. B. F. Tracy, Marshland Stud, Stony Ford.
2d. Lorillard, James A. Graham, Paterson.
3d. Pierrot, W. H. Ludlum, Goshen.

Best stallion, four years old or over, of any breed, first prize $55; second prize $20.

1st. Wicklippe, H. N. Bain, Poughkeepsie.
2d. Hugo, Hezekiah Howell, Monroe.
3d. De Bird, W. H. Ludlum, Goshen.

HORSES IN HARNESS.

Best tandem, first prize $55; second prize $20.

Mrs. Harriman's Pilgrim and Drum Major were the only entry and received the blue ribbon.

Pairs of horses or mares over fourteen hands, two inches, first prize $55; second prize $20.

1st. Catbrier and Sweetbrier, P. Lorillard, Jr., Tuxedo.
2d. Pilgrim and Drum Major, Mrs. E. H. Harryman, Arden.
3d. Miss Hammond and Miss Louisa, H. N. Bain, Poughkeepsie.

SADDLE HORSES.

Horse or mare, fourteen hands, two inches or over, first prize $20; second prize $10.

1st, Shrub, Mrs. Harriman.
2d, Pauline, Mrs. Harriman.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

Offered by James W. Cooke, silver cup, value $100. For the best roadster, standard or non-standard, mare or gelding, owned in Orange county. Color, conformation, quality and style of going, as well as speed, considered. To be shown to wagon, properly harnessed and driven once around the track.

1st. Royal Princess. Robert Goelet, Tuxedo.
2d. May K., W. N. Y. Hoffman, Tuxedo.
3d. Hazel Mack, Arden Farms.

Offered by C. H. C. Beakes, silver cup, value $75. For the best pair of geldings or mares, four years or over, to be shown to road wagon or runabout.

1st. Hazel Mack and Cienega, Arden Farms.
2d. Miss Hammond and Miss Louisa, H. N. Bain, Poughkeepsie.
3d. Miss Helen B. and Carrie Medium, Mrs. Walker Smith, Tuxedo.

Silver cup, offered by Frederick DePeyster Foster, value $100, for best three-year-old stallion.

1st, Master Elect, H. N. Bain, Poughkeepsie.
2d, Jaffrey, W. A. Lawrence, Chester.
3d, Dispenser, Glen Lea Farm, Monroe.

Offered by Walnut Grove Farm, silver cup, value $50. For the best horse, mare or gelding sired by Burlingame.

1st, Faustina, Chauncey B. Jones, Washingtonville.

Offered by Mrs. E. H. Harriman—The juvenile cup—silver cup, value $50. For best foal of 1898, standard or non-standard. Must be sired by a trotting horse.

1st, Kohsel, Countess Kohsel, Washingtonville.
2d, Bay filly by Stamboul, C. C. Foster, Boston.
3d, Bay filly by Kentucky Wilkes, Marshland Stud, Stony Ford.

Offered by the Orange County Horse and Road Improvement Association, silver cup, value $50. For the best pair of farm or draught horses. Must not be less than fifteen hands, two inches high and have proper weight, docility and general useful qualities for farm work. To be shown in double harness.

1st. Alice and Maud, J. A. P. Ramsdell, Newburgh.
2d. Kaiser and Fritz, Lembeck & Betz, Jersey City.
3d. Punch and Judy, J. S. Murray, Chester.

Best trotter, record of 2:30 or better, Silver Cup, value $100, given by Robert Goelet.

1st. Cienaga, Arden Farms.
2d. May K., W. M. V. Hoffman, Tuxedo.
3d. Legend, Oak Hill Farm, Goshen.

Tracey trophy, silver cup, value $50, given by Gen. B. F. Tracey, for the best standard bred yearling.

1st. Tatiana, Arden Farm.
2d. Harriet Wilkes, Marshland Stud, Stony Ford.
3d. Eva Sable, Marshland Stud.

High School Saddlers, prize, silver cup. Mrs. Harriman's Beau Brummell was the only entry, and was given the first prize. He was ridden by Carl Anthony, a well known riding school teacher of New York, and guided only by a cord executed all the high school steps.

OBITUARY.

George W. Freer.

George W. Freer, of Liberty, died this morning at the State Hospital in this city. The body will be taken to that village by Undertaker Osterhout, and the funeral will be held there, Monday.

The deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Freer. He is survived by two brothers and three sisters: Frank, of Wisconsin; McClelland, of this city; Flora, of New York; Mrs. J. H. Greening of Jersey City, and Mrs. F. F. Morehouse, of Ridgebury.

Margaret A. Van Nort.

Mrs. Margaret A. Van Nort, widow of Joseph S. Van Nort, for many years proprietor of the Van Nort House, Goshen, and who died there twenty-five years ago, passed peacefully to her rest at noon, Friday, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Vail, No. 9 Railroad avenue. Rev. Dr. Wilson, pastor of St. Paul's Church, of which she was a member, was at her bedside in prayer when the end came.

The deceased was born in Monroe, eighty-one years ago, and was the daughter of Levi and Lizzie Ford Lamoreaux. Her death was simply the breaking up of the vital forces as a result of old age. She was the last of a large family. During the past twenty years she has resided in this city. She was a quiet, unassuming christian, and a faithful member of St. Paul's Church. She never allowed her right hand to know what her left hand was doing, and a glorious reward awaited her.

The funeral will be held at her late home, Monday, at 10:30, and the party will leave on a special car at 12:55 on the Erie for Newburgh, and burial will be in St. George's Cemetery.

E. Fowler Compton.

Robert Fowler Compton, a well known resident of this city, died at 7:45 o'clock, this morning, at his home, No. 11 Gardner avenue, in his fifty-seventh year. The cause of death was jaundice and he was sick for several weeks.

Mr. Compton was the son of Isaac and Jane Wilson Compton, and was born at Turners, February 13, 1842. On November 1, 1874, he married Leah Edwards, who survives him. They had no children. Two brothers and three sisters survive: Hudson, of St. John, Mich.; Jacob, of Goshen; Mrs. Harriet Silsbury, of Ellenville; Mrs. Carrie Ketcham, of Brooklyn, and Sarah, wife of Hiram Wright, of Newburgh.

Mr. Compton was a resident of this city for thirty years and during most of that time was engaged in the meat business. He was quiet and reserved, but was genial and companionable with his friends. He was very kind hearted and did many generous acts, and he held a warm place in the hearts of all who knew him. He was a most devoted husband and his wife is prostrated by the shock of his death.

The funeral notice appears elsewhere.

THE PRISON AND THE PRISONERS

Secretary Round of the Prison Association to Speak Here To-Morrow Afternoon.

Perhaps it may be truthfully said that not since the days of Howard, the prison philanthropist, has there appeared a man more interested in prison reform than Wm. F. M. Round, Corresponding Secretary of the Prison Association of New York. He knows more about prisons and criminals and reformatory work than any man in this country. He is, moreover, a most entertaining and eloquent speaker, whom everybody is interested to hear.

The ministers of this city have invited Mr. Round to visit us to address our citizens on the subject of Prison Reform, and a union service will be held in St. Paul's M. E. Church, Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Everybody should hear the startling facts and burning words of Mr. Round.

In the evening, Mr. Round will speak in Grace Church.

No Play, To-night.

The Casino management having refused to open the house to-night, unless the expenses of opening are guaranteed, the Jekyll and Hyde company will not appear as announced.

Why an Erie Train Was Late.

Erie No. 37 was nearly half an hour late, to-day, due to an accident on the Hawley Branch, in which a horse was killed and a man fatally injured.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN TOWN.

Dance at Music Hall—Work on the Electric Road—Annual Meeting of the Library and Historical Society—Not in the Sheriff's Hands—Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—The young people will give a dance at Music Hall, to-night, from 8 to 12.

—Mrs. A. D. B. Staats will spend the winter at Pittsburg.

—Thomas F. Kane will give a table d'hote dinner at his Arcade Hotel, Monday evening, Oct. 3.

—Miss Etta L. Crans has returned from Long Branch.

—Jesse S. Mapes, of Syracuse, Neb., is visiting in town.

—The trolley tracks are being graded through Grand and Spring streets.

—Goshen Lodge, F. and A. M., will meet Monday night.

—The annual meeting of the Goshen Library and Historical Society will be held in its rooms, over the store of C. E. Millspaugh, Monday, Oct. 3, at 7:30 p. m., for the election of officers and to vote on an amendment to the constitution.

—The item published in this column, a few days ago, to the effect that Mme. Zritlow's millinery store was in the hands of the Sheriff, was based on inaccurate information, which was, however, supposed to be reliable. Mme. Zritlow's store is in her own possession, and she is doing business as usual, and will continue to do so.

BURGLARS AT WORK.

J. J. Silk's Grocery Store Entered and Robbed of $25.91.

Burglars entered J. J. Silk's grocery through a Centre street cellar entrance, Friday night, and secured $25.91 from the cash drawer. The safe, which Mr. Silk always leaves unlocked, was found locked this morning, the thieves having turned the combination while trying to open it. Some difficulty was experienced in opening it, but City Clerk Taylor finally succeeded in doing so. Its contents and $15 in pennies were found untouched.

PLEADED NOT GUILTY

Promoters Mershon and Robinson Arraigned Before Judge Beattie.

Mershon and Robinson, the promoters, who were charged with getting possession of a check of the Hudson River Paint Co., of Newburgh, in an unlawful way and filling it out for a large amount, and who were indicted by the last Grand Jury, were arraigned before Judge Beattie at Goshen, this morning and pleaded not guilty. Both men were out on bail and their bonds were continued.

Orange County Medical Society.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Orange County Medical Society, to be held in Newburgh, Tuesday, Oct. 4th, Drs. T. D. Mills and M. A. Stivers, of this city, will report on "Six Cases of Appendicitis."

RAILROAD WORLD.

—After to-day, the Pullman car on Erie train 27 will be discontinued. The Pullman car on train 38, after Monday, October 3d, will be discontinued.

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"Several years ago I became poisoned by ivy. I tried many medicines, spending a large sum of money without obtaining a particle of good. My children were also afflicted with the same disease. We were all constant sufferers with an awful itching sensation, and it seemed as if I should tear myself to pieces. I picked up a paper in which I found printed a testimonial from a man in Vermont who had been similarly afflicted and had taken Hood's Sarsaparilla with benefit. I bought a bottle, which we took and it did

Me and My Children

so much good I purchased another supply. We continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla until we used five bottles and I can safely say that neither myself nor children have any signs of the poison. It has entirely left us and we are perfectly cured. We give the whole credit to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before resorting to this medicine I was reduced in weight, but now I weigh 175 pounds. Hood's Sarsaparilla has not only done much good but has been the means of saving me a great deal of money. I would not be without it in my house and I heartily recommend it to all who are afflicted. I have written this statement for publication, of my own will, as I want others to know what

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Special Notice.

On account of our contract with Mr. Terwilliger, by which we are to give him possession of ¾ of our building on Oct. 1, we are obliged to sell a large part of our stock of wagons at once, hence offer them at cost. They are going fast and cannot be duplicated at these prices.

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"THE CATCH OF THE SEASON."

An Episode of Vacation Time

By FREDERICK SEEGER.

"HANDSOME girl that," said Jack Ruthven, in his careless way, indicating with a nod a tall young woman alighting from the hotel bus, one summer day, a number of years ago.

"Handsome? Why, Jack, she's 30, or 32, if she's a day," said his cousin, Belle Grey.

"Does it follow," drawled Jack, "that because a woman's 30 she cannot be attractive? According to your estimate I must be an antediluvian, for I was 40 a month ago."

"O, but you know a man of 40 is young—just in his prime—while a woman of 30 is—well, passe, to say the least—an old maid, in fact."

"My dear, there is nothing of the forlorn old maid about that girl. She is dignified, distingue, refined in bearing, and yet looks pleasant and approachable."

"There is where you are mistaken," said Belle, with a pout, for she was "setting her cap" for Jack, as the girls said. "She is not entertaining at all. You just ask the boys, Ben and Arthur. They'll tell you just how interesting she can be. Why, she's such a bore that all the boys avoid her—never ask her to dance, in fact. You will see at the next hop how much attention she gets. She'll be the wall flower of the occasion, and sit primly by the side of her very prim aunt all the evening. What is funniest of all," added Belle, with a merry laugh, "is that she must get permission to dance—a girl of 30! O, it's too funny!"

Miss Van Tassel had meanwhile entered the hotel. Belle walked off with a friend and Jack remained in his seat quietly smoking.

"Bore of a place," he thought. "Strange, too, I feel it so tiresome. Ten years ago I found life here tolerable enough. I don't know whether the fault is mine or in the girls, but I do know that if I don't get rid of this ennui I'll be off in a jiffy. Think I'll cultivate the new arrival, and if she fails to amuse, take myself to pastures new. She may be uninteresting as Cousin Belle says, but I doubt it—not with that intelligent, strong face, if I am any judge of faces."

He was introduced to her that evening by a mutual friend. The conversation was general. Miss Van Tassel seemed to be a better listener than talker, and Jack Ruthven was in no position to judge of her conversational ability when the good nights were uttered.

"Certainly very attractive in appearance," thought he, "and doesn't look a day over 25. I believe Belle is fibbing. Young ladies will get jealous of attractive girls, and tell these little white lies occasionally, under the influence of the green-eyed monster."

The night of the weekly hop arrived, and the dancing began promptly at the appointed hour. All the younger girls were soon upon the floor, dancing with the young men of the place, but Miss Van Tassel, as predicted, remained sitting beside her chaperone, to the great satisfaction of the younger girls. Although they scoffed at the idea put forth by Jack that they were jealous of her classic beauty, they were not slow in turning the attention of the "catch of the season"—Jack Ruthven—to her as a wall flower.

"I believe I'll ask her to waltz, myself," said Jack, in his teasing way; and he suited the action to the word.

"Dancing!" exclaimed Mamie Smith. "Dancing the waltz," said Will Blume, "his pet abomination—and with that icicle—the passe girl."

But the twain waltzed on, neither heeding nor hearing the numerous comments, keeping perfect time until the last bar was played. Then they quietly strolled out upon the veranda to a cozy corner, where they were found at the end of the hop by "Aunty Chaperone," as the aunt was sarcastically dubbed by the young people of the place.

"Come, my dear," said Mrs. Van Tassel, "it is quite late. We must retire."

The niece quietly arose and bade Jack Ruthven "good-night."

"You seem to have gotten on well with 'the bore,'" said Cousin Belle, [illegible]ly.

"Truly," replied Jack, in an ag[illegible] tone of satisfaction. "I see [illegible] way the boys don't get on with her. There's nothing common[illegible] about her. None of their small talk [illegible] interest her, and flirting is our [illegible] line altogether—a sealed book [illegible]. I don't believe she knows its [illegible] Notwithstanding my [illegible] Miss Van Tassel is a [illegible] young woman, if you start [illegible] right track. I expect to [illegible] She's the most attractive [illegible]

[illegible] woman! She's [illegible]

[illegible] so?"

[illegible] things are [illegible] who was her [illegible]

[illegible] Van Tassel, [illegible] Fortune, [illegible] that is [illegible] school, with what [illegible]

[illegible] Perhaps with [illegible] Nothing. Money [illegible] pose's ten thousand [illegible] She [illegible] of the season. [illegible] to catch him, [illegible] chaperone if possible? [illegible] much smarter [illegible]

[illegible] following afternoon [illegible] propose a drive to Mt. Van [illegible] provided [illegible] consent of the [illegible] gained and the pair started off in full view of many pairs of envious eyes, for Jack was not only the "catch," but the only really eligible match at the place.

Cousin Belle decided that something must be done. Her coveted prize was slipping from her grasp, so at the first opportunity she regaled Jack with the history of the Van Tassel family, and closed her recital of their circumstances in these words:

"Nice people enough, you know; old Dutch and all that; but there's a skeleton in the family they say, somewhere, a cousin or somebody did something—I don't know exactly what or when—disgraceful; and then her mother was only a poor music teacher, who played at parties, and later, when she got on a bit, sang in some really nice concerts. That's how Mr. Van Tassel met her. She played at his mother's parties. You see Mrs. Van Tassel wanted to help the girl, and that's what she got for doing it. John Van Tassel was young and he fell in love with the handsome music teacher. She died when Miss Van Tassel was only a few days old, and John Van Tassel, they say, died of grief at her loss; but that, you know, is all bosh—men are not made that way. The aunt adopted her, and, with her limited means, she educated her and tried to push her; but, you see, she's failed. She's caught no flies in her web, and now she's 30, she isn't likely to, they say."

Jack listened with an amused smile, for this little cousin of his was yet young in the art of diplomacy, and her malice was very perceptible.

"You would not advise me to propose to her, then?" he queried. "You know I've been seriously thinking lately of settling down—of marrying, in fact—and I thought that probably a girl of 28 would be more suitable for a man of 40, tired of the little whirlpools of society, than a girl of 20. Miss Van Tassel is the most attractive girl of 28 I ever saw."

"You surely would not think of her!" cried Belle, with genuine horror. "Why, they keep only one girl, and when she entertains at luncheon—a cheap sort of entertaining, by the way—she prepares most of the dishes herself, and then appears, all fussed up, afterward, as though she hadn't done a thing, and as if they had 40 servants. And, do you know? they can't afford to have even their gowns made. She makes everything they wear, and they live away over west—two hundred and something. My! if they were not Van Tassels they'd be nowhere in society—nobodies. As it is, they are just tolerated."

"Just as we are tolerated because of our money, earned a hundred years ago, by our grandfather—an honest farmer—by his investment in land in Harlem. The property went up, and so did the family. We are nabobs, not because we are Ruthvens, but because we have money. Society, as it is technically known, worships money and dry goods. Give me the girl who, like Miss Van Tassel, knows how to make the home; she's a good possession for any man. A fig for society! Not one word you have said but has raised Miss Van Tassel in my regard, as it would with anybody, excepting the conceited snobs and do-nothings, who were perhaps nobodies 20 or 30 years ago. Really fine families do not draw the line at the things you have mentioned. I am all the more decided to propose to Miss Van Tassel. She may refuse me. I hope not, for I think money and a family a good combination, myself. You should approve, cousin mine, for it's quite the thing in society to join in wedlock family and hard cash."

Cousin Belle bit her lip, as was usual with her when vexed, but only said:

"Jack, you're incorrigible. I don't believe you mean a word you say!"

Sailing, driving, dancing, walking; these were the daily occupations of "the pair," as they were now called by all the boarders at the hotel, who looked on with eager interest to see how the matter would end.

Cousin Belle became desperate, and held many conversations with her aunt—Jack's mother—in which Miss Van Tassel was called "that designing creature," "the passe girl" and other disparaging things. The aunt listened and at first said little. Later, however, she expressed her convictions quite freely.

"My dear Belle," she said, "it is really quite kind of you to take such an interest in Jack's welfare, and to warn me in this way, but I have given the matter much thought and have come to the conclusion that Jack cannot do better than to marry Miss Van Tassel. She is certainly a charming girl. She is devoted to her aunt, who assures me she is a great comfort to her. She has many domestic virtues which will make for peace and happiness in the home over which she will preside. I can wish no better fortune for Jack than such a wife. Marriage is a lottery, but I am quite willing that he should take the risks in this case. It promises well, at any rate, and I shall advise Jack to marry her as soon as she will have him."

"But, auntie, she is so poor and so old."

"She certainly is not old in this company. Her age is suitable to Jack's. As to her poverty, Jack has an abundance for both. Her poverty will end when she becomes his wife."

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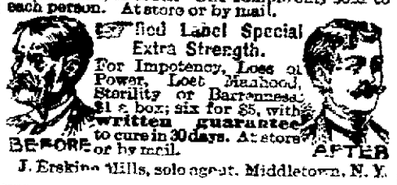

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Dated Sept 12th, 1898.
JOHN L. SEYBOLT, Administrator.
JOHN L. WIGGINS, Attorney for Administrator, 11 North street, Middletown, N. Y.
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IN PURSUANCE of an order of the Surrogate of the County of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Julia E. Manning, late of the town of Minisink, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber the administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at his place of business in the town of Minisink, on or before the 6th day of January next.

Dated June 30, 1898.
HIRAM T. MANNING Administrator
VANAMEE & VAIL, Attorneys for Administrator, Middletown, N. Y. dSat.Dec3

THE People of the State of New York to all persons interested in the estate of James A. Wood, assigned to George W. Galloway, for the benefit of creditors, send greeting: You and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear in the Orange County Court, at a term thereof in the Court House, in the village of Goshen, said county, on the 25th day of October, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to show cause why a settlement of the account of proceedings of George W. Galloway, as assignee of the said James A. Wood, should not be had, and if no cause be shown, to attend a settlement of such account.

Witness Hon. John J. Beattie, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, the [L.S.] 22d day of August, 1898.
W. G. TAGGERT, Clerk.
T. N. LITTLE, Attorney for Assignee.
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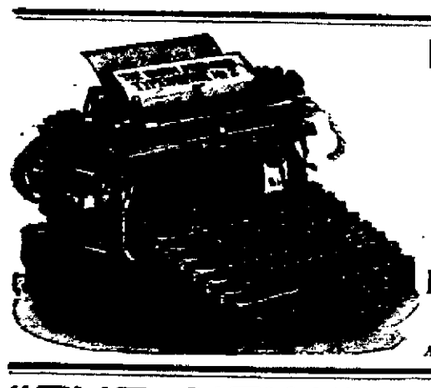

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Acting Secretary Adee of the state department has sent out the following circular:

"To the Diplomatic and Consular Officers of the United States:

"Gentlemen—It becomes my painful duty to announce the death at Karlstein, near Dedham, Mass., of Thomas Francis Bayard, a distinguished citizen, formerly secretary of state of the United States.

"Mr. Bayard served the people of the United States in many and important capacities—as a senator of the United States from the state of Delaware from 1869 to 1885, as secretary of the United States from 1885 to 1889 and as embassador extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Great Britain from 1893 to 1897.

"In each of these capacities his career was marked by great usefulness, in which abilities of a high order were applied with unfailing devotion and fidelity to the performance of public trust.

"His private life was pure and unstained, his services to the people of the United States were unquestionably great, and his memory will be cherished with affection and respect by his countrymen.

"As a tribute you will cause the flag of the United States to be displayed at half mast above your respective offices for a period of ten days from the receipt by you of this notification."

Preparations For the Funeral.

WILMINGTON, Del., Oct. 1.—The train carrying the body of Thomas F. Bayard reached this city at 8:35 o'clock last night. A crowd of 1,500 people were at the Pennsylvania railroad station when the train pulled in. Mr. Bayard's remains were at once taken to Old Swedes church, where another large crowd had collected. The casket was placed in front of the chancel of the church, where it will remain until the services this afternoon. The Rev. Dr. G. W. Douglass of Tuxedo Park, N. J., will officiate. The following have been selected as pallbearers: Grover Cleveland, John V. Craven, Thomas Craven of Salem, N. J.; Governor Ebe Tunnell, Chancellor John R. Nicholson, Judge I. C. Grubbs, Dr. J. A. Draper and Henry C. Banning of Wilmington, Henry W. Bryan of Washington and George L. Rives of New York.

FOREST FIRES IN WISCONSIN.

Several Towns Destroyed, but No Lives Are Lost.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 1.—A dispatch from Rice Lake says the forest fires in that vicinity were checked by light rains last night. Fifty farmers near Rice lake lost all their possessions. The Johnson Bros. Lumber company, six miles west, lost their mill and stock of hardwood lumber, with no insurance.

The town of Alemena, near Rice lake, is reported destroyed. The Soo railway bridge, near Alemena, was burned, stopping all the trains on that line. No loss of life has been reported.

The greatest damage has been done in the townships of Cumberland, Turtle Lake, Clinton, Stanford, Barron, Oakgrove and Cedar Lake.

A special from Eau Claire says the Northwestern Lumber company lost 2,000,000 feet of saw logs above that city.

Fifield, Wis., reports much damage in that region. The road from the Pike lake summer resort to Fifield is impassable on account of fallen timber, and a number of guests will be obliged to remain there until the road is cleared. Rain last night has checked the fire.

New Richmond, Wis., reports the fire to Clear Lake, and Glenwood was threatened to be destroyed.

Sprague, a small town on the Omaha road, is rumored to have been partially destroyed. Communication with the place is interrupted.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The crown prince of Korea is reported very ill.

The London police have a warrant for the provisional arrest of Dr. Nancy Guilford of Bridgeport, Conn.

The Cairo correspondent of the London Telegraph says that the sirdar will be the first governor general of the Sudan.

Out of seven races at Newmarket, England, Tod Sloane, the American jockey, won five and got second place in a sixth.

Kang Yuwei, the Cantonese reformer, said he was warned by the emperor of China to flee and commissioned to seek aid for the emperor and the empire.

Advices received at Constantinople from Van said that fighting had occurred at Alasgorb between Turks and Armenians, in which 50 of the latter were killed.

An imperial decree was published at Peking dismissing Chang Yin Houan, the opponent in the Chinese foreign office of Li Hung Chang, and banishing him to Ili, a district of Chinese Turkistan.

Van Wyck Will Accept.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—Judge Van Wyck will accept the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. The decision was reached yesterday afternoon after the judge and his brother had had a two hours' consultation at the former's Brooklyn residence. At the time the decision to accept was finally reached two other conclusions were reached. One was that the candidate should make a vigorous campaign in all the more important cities of the state; the other, that it was reasonable to suppose that the voters would not allow mere sentiment, awakened by Roosevelt's part in the war, to blind them to the real issues involving the welfare of the state that are now before the people. Quite a number of the prominent Democrats of Brooklyn and New York called upon Judge Van Wyck during the day. Some of them at least went away happy that the doubt that has surrounded the Democratic candidate's intentions had at last been removed.

Jamaica Threatened With Cyclone.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Oct. 1.—The weather bureau reports that a cyclone is developing in the neighborhood of Santo Domingo, with an easterly tendency. The barometers here have fallen.

Brownson's Mother Dead.

LYONS, N. Y., Oct. 1.—Mrs. Morton Brownson, mother of Commander Willard H. Brownson, U. S. N., died this evening, aged 76. Deceased leaves a son two daughters and four sisters.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham Ave. cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North St. and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad avenue and Montgomery street.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street and Wallkill avenue.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
212—State Hospital Gate.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
215—Rear of State Hospital.
24—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
25—High and Hanford streets.
26—Canal street, condensery.
27—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
28—Fairview avenue and South street.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy avenue and Houston avenue.
43—East Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—East Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenue.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenues.
49—East Main street and Prospect avenue.
54—North street, near Orchard.
57—Franklin Square.
21—Rung before a box number, denotes that a test is being made.

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NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	11 Milk	1 On't Day Exp	3 Mt'n Exp	17 Half Hdy Sat. Only	7 Yeshiva Limited	15 Ulster Co. Exp	5 Chicago Limt
N. Y. Leave	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M
Franklin St	3 20	7 40	9 00	12 45	3 00	3 00	5 45
W. 42d St.,	3 30	7 55	9 15	1 00	3 15	3 15	6 15
Weehawken	4 00	8 10	9 30	1 30	3 35	3 30	6 30
Cornwall	6 10	9 45	10 57	3 46	5 00	5 05	7 50
Firthcliffe	fs 22	f9 53	.....	.....	.....	5 20	.....
Orr's Mills	fs 25	f9 55	.....	.....	.....	5 22	.....
Little Brit'n	6 40	f10 05	.....	.....	.....	5 32	.....
Burnside	6 56	f10 16	.....	.....	.....	5 46	.....
Campb'll H.	7 07	10 22	11 35	3 20	5 34	5 46	8 10
Stony Ford	7 15	f10 27	n11 39	.....	.....	5 53	.....
M'town Main St.	7 38	10 43	11 53	.....	.....	6 08	.....
M'town ar	7 40	10 45	11 56	3 35	5 50	6 07	8 35
M'town lv	8 45	f10 55	f12 10	3 35	5 00	6 15	8 45
Winterton	9 10	f11 09	n12 35	.....	.....	6 32	.....
Bloom'g'b'gh	9 21	11 15	12 32	4 20	.....	6 38	.....
Wurtsboro	9 26	11 19	f12 36	n4 24	.....	6 41	.....
Summitville	9 38	11 30	12 45	4 31	.....	6 47	.....
Ellenville ar	10 05	11 50	1 05	4 55	.....	7 05	.....
Fallsburgh	10 32	12 05	1 20	5 06	7 00	.....	.....
Harleyville	10 58	12 12	1 26	5 12	7 07	.....	.....
Ferndale	11 15	n12 22	1 32	5 25	7 18	.....	.....
Liberty	11 30	12 29	1 45	5 40	7 25	.....	9 50
Parksville	11 45	12 40	P M	5 56	7 37	.....	.....
L'v'gst'n M'r	12 00	12 53	.....	6 06	7 49	.....	10 13
Rockland	12 15	1 08	.....	6 20	8 00	1 3	.....
Cadosia	1 20	2 00	.....	P M	.....	A M	10 58
Walton	2 10	2 45	.....	.....	.....	8 05	11 38
Maywood	.....	3 14	.....	.....	.....	8 38	.....
Sidney	.....	3 40	4 1	.....	.....	9 02	12 15
N'rwich ar	.....	4 25	A M	.....	.....	9 50	12 58
N'rwich lv	.....	4 30	7 30	.....	.....	9 54	1 03
Castle	.....	5 53	9 10	.....	.....	A M	2 10
Oneida ar	.....	5 55	9 15	.....	.....	10 52	2 12
Oneida lv	.....	6 05	9 20	.....	.....	11 00	2 15
Fulton	.....	7 39	10 58	.....	.....	n3 26	.....
Oswego ar	.....	8 00	11 20	.....	.....	3 45	.....
	P M	P M	A M	P M	P M	A M	

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 New York Exp	12	50 Local	14 Delhi Ex	2 N Y Day Exp	42 Norwich Exp	18 Sunday Spec
	A M	P M	A M	.....	P M	P M	P M
Oswego lv	11 20	.....	7 00	.....	6 45	2 00	.....
Oneida ar	12 52	.....	12 22	.....	8 46	3 10	.....
Oneida lv	12 56	.....	1 10	.....	8 50	3 20	.....
Castle	.....	.....	1 15	P M	8 53	3 22	.....
Norwich ar	2 00	.....	5 00	6 42	10 27	7 15	.....
Norwich lv	2 14	.....	P M	6 45	10 42	P M	.....
Sidney	3 05	.....	.....	7 40	11 40	.....	.....
Maywood	.....	.....	.....	7 56	11 57	.....	.....
Walton	3 50	12 15	A M	8 30	11 37	.....	.....
Cadosia	4 21	1 30	P M	1 20	4	.....	.....
Rockland	.....	2 38	6 20	.....	2 10	M'tn Exp	5 05
L'v'gst'n M'r	5 07	3 00	6 35	.....	2 25	Exp	5 20
Parksville	.....	3 16	6 47	.....	2 37	P M	5 30
Liberty	5 26	3 35	7 00	16	2 51	2 30	5 45
Ferndale	.....	3 41	7 04	Ulster	n2 56	2 34	5 50
Harleyville	.....	4 04	7 14	Co.	3 06	2 44	6 00
Fallsburgh	.....	4 19	7 21	Exp	n3 20	f3 00	f6 14
Centreville	.....	4 40	7 28	A M	n3 25	f3 06	f6 20
Mount'n D.	.....	4 50	7 34	P M	n3 35	f3 16	f6 30
Summitville	6 06	5 10	7 21	3 45	3 24	6 40	.....
Wurtsboro	.....	5 20	7 25	3 52	3 32	n6 47	.....
Bloom'g'bgh	.....	5 26	7 33	3 57	3 37	6 50	.....
Winterton	.....	5 34	f7 38	n4 02	.....	n6 55	.....
M'town ar	6 33	5 55	8 15	7 55	4 20	3 55	7 12
M'town lv	6 43	6 20	f8 25	8 05	f4 30	f4 05	f7 25
M'town Main St.	.....	6 22	.....	8 07	4 32	.....	7 27
Stony Ford	.....	6 59	f8	20	f4 46	.....	n7 41
Campb'll H.	.....	7 15	8 42	8 28	4 52	4 24	7 47
Burnside	.....	7 22	f8	31	f4 57	.....	n7 53
Little Brit'n	.....	7 38	.....	f8 41	f5 06	.....	hg 09
Orr's Mills	.....	8 05	.....	f8 46	f5 15	.....	n8 16
Firthcliffe	.....	8 06	.....	f8 50	f5 20	.....	f8 18
Cornwall	7 33	8 15	9 08	8 57	5 33	4 52	8 21
Weehawken	8 45	10 50	10 30	10 30	7 00	6 20	9 50
New York W. 42d St., N. Y.	8 55	11 15	10 40	10 40	7 10	6 35	10 00
Fkln St ar	9 15	11 30	10 55	10 55	7 25	6 50	10 15
	P M	P M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M

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f Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.
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¶ Stop for meals.

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Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 7 00, 7.40, 10 50 a. m., and 12.10 3 00 and 5 40 p. m. Saturday only 4 05 p. m. Sunday only 5.15 p. m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 00 a. m, and 4 45 p. m. Except Saturday 1 30 p. m Sunday only 2 10 p m

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 8 10 a. m., 2 45 and 8 35 p. m. Sunday only 9 15 a. m., and 2 15 p m. Except Saturday 12 37 p. m

Additional trains leave Livingston Manor at 1.35 p. m., stopping at all stations to Walton, arriving at 6 20 p. m. Leave Walton at 12 45 p. m. arrive at Norwich 5.30 p. m.

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West 23d St.	8 10	.....	3 50
Cortlandt and Desbrosses St.	8 30	.....	4 10
Jersey City	8 46	..	4 25
Hackensack	9 14	..	4 50
Paterson (Broadway)	9 26	.....	5 02
Paterson	9 29	.....	5 04
Two Bridges	10 55	2 50	6 30
Ogdensburg	11 07	3 05	6 40
Franklin	11 12	3 15	6 46
Hamburg	11 29	3 26	6 54
Deckertown	11 28	3 40	7 03
Quarryville	11 36	3 52	7 10
Unionville	11 44	4 04	7 18
Westtown	11 49	4 15	7 24
Johnson	11 55	4 27	7 29
Slate Hill	12 09	4 37	7 34
Middletown	12 12	4 50	7 45

SOUTH	Daily a m	ex Sun a m	Daily p m
Middletown	6 30	7 12	5 04
Slate Hill	6 42	7 27	5 16
Johnson	6 48	7 36	5 21
Westtown	6 53	7 43	5 27
Unionville	6 56	7 55	5 34
Quarryville	7 06	8 07	5 43
Deckertown	7 14	8 30	5 51
Hamburg	7 22	8 46	6 00
Franklin Junction	7 27	.....	.....
Franklin	7 29	8 56	6 07
Ogdensburg	7 34	9 06	6 12
Two Bridges	7 51	9 27	6 28
Paterson City	9 03	.....	7 45
Paterson (Broadway)	9 06	10 36	7 48
Hackensack	9 18	10 47	8 01
Jersey City	9 38	11 12	8 27
New York Ferries— Cortlandt and Desbrosses St.	9 53	11 23	8 38
West 23d street	10 15	11 45	9 20

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TIME TABLE ADOPTED JUNE 26, '98.

Eastern Time.	617	601	625	606	7	20	25	15	57	5	33	11	9	1	21	17
Arrive Leave	S. Spec	S. Spec	S. Spec	S. Spec	8											
NEW YORK		A M	P M	P M												A M
Paterson		7:30	12:30	5:30												4:00
Turners		8:27	1:18	6:30												4:45
Monroe		9:44	2:23	7:50												
Greycourt		10:01	2:40	8:07												
Chester		10:04	2:43	8:10												
Goshen		10:13	2:51	8:18												
Middletown		10:29	3:08	8:34												
Howells		10:38	3:17	8:43												
Otisville		10:47	3:26	8:52												
Port Jervis		11:10	3:50	9:15												
Lv. East Time. Ar.		A M	P M	P M												
CHICAGO																7:35
Lv. Cent. Time. Ar.																A M

Eastern Time.	18	12	10	26	16	28	38	6	4	30	2	8	22	14	606	628	620	18
Arrive Leave	Sun	A M	A M	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M
NEW YORK	A M																	
Paterson	4:00	4:16	6:17	8:52	9:22	10:37	12:57	3:35	4:58	6:42	7:00	7:52	9:52	12:52	7:45	8:37	11:07	5:10
Turners	4:45	5:04	5:34	8:14	8:45	10:00	12:15	2:52	4:22	6:03	6:20	7:20	9:11	12:15	8:39	9:31	11:51	5:51
Monroe			4:44	7:18	7:50	8:58	11:26	1:42	3:34	4:55	5:36	8:18	9:52	1:11	9:57	10:49	12:32	6:32
Greycourt				7:37	7:40	8:48	11:08	1:34	4:45	4:39	.....	8:08	10:08	1:01	10:08	10:59	12:20	6:20
Chester				7:41	7:44	8:52	11:12	1:38	4:49	4:30	.....	8:00	10:12	1:05	10:11	11:02	12:23	6:23
Goshen				7:50	7:53	9:01	11:21	1:47	4:58	4:39	.....	8:09	10:21	1:14	10:20	11:11	12:32	6:32
Middletown		4:16		8:07	8:28	9:07	11:39	2:05	5:16	5:00	.....	8:27	10:39	1:32	10:38	11:29	12:50	6:50
Howells				8:17	8:38	9:17	11:49	2:15	5:26	5:10	.....	8:37	10:49	1:42	10:48	11:39	1:00	7:00
Otisville				8:26	8:47	9:26	11:58	2:24	5:35	5:19	.....	8:46	10:58	1:51	10:57	11:48	1:09	7:09
Port Jervis				10:00	10:20	10:45	1:15	3:41	6:52	6:36	.....	10:03	12:15	3:08	12:14	1:05	2:26	8:26
Lv. East Time. Ar.				P M	P M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M
CHICAGO																		
Lv. Cent. Time. Ar.																		

*Daily. ‡Sundays only. †Except Sunday. b. Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch—Leave Main St., Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11:40 a. m., daily; 6:55 p. m. daily.

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Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11:20 a. m and 6:35 p. m. daily except Sunday

New Jersey via Turners—Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m. daily, except Sunday, 10.50 a. m., daily except Sunday, 9.00 p. m. daily 9.45 p. m., Sunday only. Train 30 and 2 connects for Newburgh via Arden, instead of Turners.

Newburgh via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7 45 a. m., daily except Sunday, 11 10 a. m., daily except Sunday, 1:20 p. m. daily, except Sunday, 6:18 p. m., daily except Sunday; 5:37 p. m. Sundays only.

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HOME FROM PITTSTON.

McQuoids Met at the Wickham Avenue Station by a Delegation from Monhagens and Escorted to Their House—Trophies of the Trip—All Delighted With Their Entertainment.

McQuoid Engine Company and its guests returned from Pittston, Friday afternoon, on O. and W. train No. 2. They were all tired, but were more than delighted with their trip, having had the very best outing in the company's history.

A large delegation from Monhagens met the returning party at the station and escorted it through Wickham avenue and North and East Main streets to the truck house. The 24th Band, which had done a great deal of playing during the three days' trip, was not by any means blown out, and during the short march played several enlivening airs.

"Tommy" Guerin and "Tod" Moore led the way, wearing two miners' lamps, which were lighted, and fresh from the bottom of "Shaft No. 2."

"Bob" Connelly had a live game cock under his arm which he caught after a three-mile run, just as the cock was going down into a mine. Several of the members had coal broken up by blasts set off by Mr. Cleary and Tom McQuaid. "Jack" Farrell carried a teapot, Ed. Lorentz had a broom, and "Tom" Tierney waved a battle axe.

Joseph O'Brien and Thomas Tierney claim the distinction of having had to go the farthest in seeing two girls home after the ball—to West Pittston.

The boys are profuse in their appreciative remarks of the treatment accorded them. The banquet was the finest the company ever enjoyed and was served by 300 of Pittston's finest ladies, each visitor being met at the door of the banquet hall and escorted to a seat by a charming lady, dressed in the purest white, who devoted herself entirely to him for the remainder of the evening or until dancing commenced. Each one of these ladies, by the way, contributed $1 toward the entertainment fund.

Ex-Recorder Bradner said: "Such entertainments as we received are unfortunately going out of the custom. It is becoming customary to place the visitors in hotels where hotel service is accorded at the banquets. Not so at Pittston. The finest ladies were there. I sat beside a prosperous mine owner who said his wife and daughter were among the attendants and that the family silver was scattered about the tables."

Patrick Dougherty was among those who didn't sleep any Wednesday night. He said to his friend Bradner:

"I didn't sleep a wink from the noise. I didn't care for myself—but the people who run the hotel must have been disturbed."

Last Mary Powell Excursion This Year

The Ontario and Western has arranged with the Mary Powell Steamboat Company to made a special trip on Monday, Oct. 10th. to New York, as the scenery along the Hudson River during the month of October cannot be surpassed, and for those who desire to take this lovely trip the Ontario and Western will have a special train leave Middletown at 7:20 a. m. on Oct. 10. The Mary Powell will run to 22d street only. Returning, leave West 22d street, New York at 4 p. m. instead of 3:30 as heretofore, arriving at Middletown 7:30 p. m. The rate will be but one dollar.

Special trolley car will leave Goshen at 6:45 a. m., connecting with excursion train at Main street station, dtodudv

State Hospital Supplies to Be Purchased in Bulk.

At the conference of State Hospital Superintendents and the Lunacy Commissioners in Albany, Thursday, it was decided that it would be advisable to purchase in bulk six months' supplies of staple articles used in all the hospitals. Flour and coal were not included in the supplies to be thus purchased, the price of flour fluctuating so widely that it is not expedient to purchase more than three months' supply at a time and the price of coal depending on the freight rates at each hospital.

A Port Jervis Soldier Loses an Arm.

Private Peter Ryan, of the 2d U. S. Infantry, who is spending a month's furlough at his home in Port Jervis, lost an arm, Thursday. He was riding on an Erie freight train near Guymard, when he lost his hold and fell between the cars, and his arm was run over and so badly crushed that amputation was necessary.

Funeral of Mrs. Ludlum.

The funeral of Mrs. T. J. Ludlum was held at the bereaved home on Maryland avenue, Friday night, at 7:30, Rev. Dr. Robinson officiating. This morning the remains were taken to Brooklyn. Funeral services will be held there, Sunday, and burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

A Bicycle Party.

The Misses Harris, Miss Davis, Miss Pierson and Miss Conkling went to Goshen, to-day, and from there rode their wheels to Glenmere Lake.

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Ontario and Western Annual Fall Excursion.

Monday, October 24th, is the date of the Ontario and Western annual fall excursion to Greater New York. Tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, and good to return up to and including November 2d. This will give our readers a chance to see the great metropolis in autumnal garb, and the foliage changes through the valleys of the Delaware, Neversink and Beaverkill will be at their best: also an opportunity to visit the Peace Celebration. Philadelphia, Oct. 25th to 27th, for which very cheap excursion tickets will be sold. If you have not already secured a copy of the "War Salad," address J. C. Anderson, general passenger agent, N. Y., O. W. Ry., 56 Beaver street, New Y. advlt

Badly Injured in a Runaway.

Milford has been the scene of many runaway accidents this season. A very serious one occurred, Thursday, when a team driven by E. B. Wilkins, of New York, ran away while descending Conashaugh hill. The wagon collided with a telegraph pole at the foot of the hill and was wrecked. Mrs. Kenworthy, of Milford, had an arm broken and her sister, Mrs. Weaver, of New York, had three ribs and a hip broken.

The Owner of the Property Not at Fault

Stephen Sayer, the owner of the farm in the town of Mount Hope on which the afflicted Seeley family lives, has done everything possible to improve the sanitary condition of the premises and has also done what he could to assist the family in their trials and troubles. It is also due to Mr. Sayer to say that he had no idea that anything about the place was in an unsanitary condition.

A Birthday Surprise Party.

Robert F. Curran, of 13½ Sproat street, was fifty years old, Friday, and his sons and daughters arranged for a birthday surprise party in the evening. A number of friends were present. Vocal and instrumental music, cards and other amusements made the time pass so pleasantly that it was 2 o'clock before the party broke up. Mr. Curran was the recipient of many birthday gifts.

Jeff Davis's Teaspoons.

In appraising the estate of the late Mrs. Edwards, of Cornwall, the appraisers, one of whom was Charles Ketcham, of Mountainville, came upon an interesting souvenir, viz., teaspoons which were formerly the property of Jefferson Davis. They had come into the possession of a Federal officer during the Civil War, and finally to the table of Mrs. Edwards.

Driven Away by High Rent.

The rental asked for the Drake mill property at Tri-States is so high that the Consolidated Match Company, of New York, which wanted to rent the building, has refused to take it, and Port Jervis may lose an industry which would probably have proved a most desirable one.

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Miss Ida K. Dewey's First Appearance on the Stage.

The audience which assembled at the Casino, last night, to see Miss Ida K. Dewey (Mrs. E. C. Royce) and Fletcher's "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" Company, was not a large one. Miss Dewey appears only in the first act. She was heartily applauded when she came on the stage. It was her first public appearance, but she showed few signs of nervousness and will evidently soon be at home on the stage. The play will not be repeated, to-night.

Harvey Wickham, Organist and Teacher

From the Musical Courier.

This well known Middletown, N. Y., musician read an essay at the Binghamton meeting of the New York State M. T. A., on "Interpretation," which was one of the distinct hits of the convention, and which was reviewed in these columns at the time. Said a contemporary: "Mr. Wickham is not only a talented organist, but a writer of exceeding ability. Some of his essays are entertaining in the highest degree. Mr. Wickham is an advanced philosphic thinker."

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Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1, '98.

	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	117⅞	118¾
Tobacco	125½	118
Chicago Gas	101⅞	101⅞
Nat. Lead	33¾	32
General Electric	48¾	48¼
U. S. L., pref.	64¼	63⅝
Tenn. Coal and Iron	27	26⅞
A. T. & S. F.	12⅜	12¼
C. B. & Q.	113⅜	112⅜
C. M. & St. P.	106⅛	106
R. I.	100¼	100
D. L. & W.	—	—
C. of N. J.	91¼	91
Erie	13½	13¼
D. and H.	—	—
O. & W.	—	15¼
Susquehanna & Western	—	—
Susquehanna & West., pref.	—	—
P. & R.	18	17⅝
N. J. W.	129	129¾
L. S.	—	—
N. Y. C.	115½	115¾
M. P.	32⅛	31½
Texas	—	—
U. P.	32¾	33
W. Union	90½	90⅞
L. & N.	54⅜	54½
Manhattan	93¼	91
P. M.	32½	32¼
Wabash, pref.	20⅝	—
No. Pacific, pref.	76	76
Metropolitan Traction	157¾	157¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	62⅝	62⅛
Southern, pref.	33⅜	33½
Dec. Wheat	62½	62
Dec. Corn	29⅜	29¼
Dec. Oats	20¾	20⅝
Dec. Pork	$8 02	$7 82
Dec. Lard	4 77	4 65

DIED.

VANNORT—At rest, in this city, Sept. 30th, '98, Margaret A., widow of the late Joseph S. VanNort, in her eighty-second year.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning, at ten-thirty o'clock, at the residence, No. 9 Railroad avenue. Interment in family plot, St. George's Cemetery, Newburgh, at convenience of the family.

COMPTON—In this city, Oct. 1st '98, of jaundice, Robert Fowler Compton, in his fifty-seventh year.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning, at eleven o'clock, at his late residence, No. 11 Gardner avenue. Interment at the convenience of the family.

FREER—In this city, Oct 1st, '98 George W. Freer, aged forty-six years.

Funeral at Liberty, Monday.

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DR. FRANCIS VALK will be at Dr. Mills' office Thursday, Oct. 6th. 1tw&d8at

WOOD & HORTON will open their store at New Hampton, Monday, Oct. 3d, with a stock of feed and coal. Come and see us. 65d2t

SAUSAGE 10c., BEEF STEAK 10c., PORK 10 and 12c. 64d5t GREENING'S.

MONEY TO LOAN—$3,000 to loan on bond and mortgage. Will divide the amount. W. B. & H. B. ROYCE, 75 North street, Middletown, N. Y. 64d2t

5 CENTS, Chair Seats at DAYTON'S, any size.

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ROUND STEAK 14c., SIRLOIN 18c., STEWING MEAT 5c. 63d5t GREENING'S.

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FRED O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 99 North street. Telephone No. 2. Lady assistant. New York office 154 East 23d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

KNAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, 42 West Main street, corner James, Middletown, N. Y. 50 Great Jones St., New York city. Lady assistant. Telephone Call No. 10.

JOHN DONOVAN, Undertaker and Embalmer 124 North street. Fine coaches to let. Telephone 15. Lady assistant. Open day and night.

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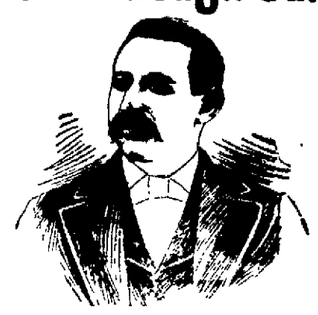

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION—The co-partnership heretofore carried on in this city by Lillie B. Lindsey, Estella P. Lindsey and Job B. Giles, under the firm name of Lindsey & Company, in general contracting and building, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Lillie B. Lindsey and Job B. Giles having purchased the interest of the said Estella P. Lindsey, will continue the business under the same title, and assume all assets and liabilities of the old firm. Dated Sept. 10th, 1898.

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The result of good buying. All new, seasonable goods that we have bought for the spot cash, and have bought cheap and you reap the benefit.

256 Ladies' Ribbed Vests and Pants.

If bought in a regular way would be $1. We closed the lot, so we can sell them for 69c each. All good sizes, all wool.

283 Ladies' Flannelett Wrappers.

Made to our own order. Perfect fitting, handsome styles and cheaper than you can buy the material for—98c., $1.39, $1.48, $1.69, sizes 32 to 46.

Black Dress Goods.

No store anywhere carries a better assortment of popular priced black goods than we do. Four special bargains at 35, 49, 69, 89c a yard.

Separate Skirts.

Our great sales tell the story. All tailor made, lined and interlined, perfect fitting, couldn't be better made by yourself for double the price, $2.98, $3.68, $3.98, $4.68, $4.98.

480 Ladies' Cotton Ribbed Vests.

This lot of Vests if bought in a regular way would sell for 25c. As long as they last 19c each. Extra heavy ribbed Pants, with French band and draw string, 25c a pair.

Dress Linings

Best Kid Cambric 3c., 36-inch fast black Perkaline 10c a yard, 36-inch black backed fancy Waist Lining 12½c a yard, best French Hair Cloth 25c up, 36-inch Perca Silk, for fancy dress linings, 12½, 15, 20c a yard.

Men's Knit Underwear.

Three odd lots of Undershirts to close out quick. Men's heavy White Shirts 19c., were 35c. One lot Colored Undershirts 29c., were 39c. One lot Colored Undershirts 39c., were 50c. No drawers to match the above.

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All the new colors and weaves here. All wool Dress Goods, heather mixtures, 25c a yard. Novelty Suitings, in a great variety of styles, 39c. All wool Covert Cloth, 38 inches wide, 50c a yard. Elegant line of Whip Cords and Poplins, new shades, 75c a yard

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Another large lot of the three great specials we have sold so many of. All steel rods, paragon frames, silk covers, Congo handles, men's and women's, 98c., $1.19, $1.48. Every one warranted.

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Over 4,000 pieces in this great purchase. All sizes to fit any age in vests, pants and drawers. One of the best bargains ever shown by any firm from 8c per garment up.

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Black Sateen Underskirts.

All of our Skirts are made by a corset manufacturer from the cheapest to the best, and are bound with the same bone as the corsets. Warranted to never get out of shape, 98c., $1.25, $1.68, $1.98, $2.48.

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Best Dark Prints made 4c a yard, good heavy White Domet Flannel 3½c a yard, fine 5c Unbleached Sheeting 3¾c a yard, fine Bleached Muslin 5c a yard, best Cotton Batten made at 10 and 15c a roll.

Black Hosiery.

This is one of our great stocks. Boys' extra heavy School Hose, sizes 6 to 10, 15c a pair, or 2 for 25c. Ladies' full regular made Black Hose, Hermsdorf dye, 15c a pair. Men's extra heavy full regular made Black Hose 15c a pair, two pairs for 25c.

Knit Underwear.

Ladies' Closed Ribbed Pants, extra fine quality, size 3 to 6, 50c a pair. Men's fine wool fleece Shirts and Drawers. Many get $1, here at 75c. Men's all wool double breasted Shirts and double seated Drawers 98c.

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Good Hump Hook and Eyes, white or black, 3c a card. Our special Box Paper 10, 19c. Box Soap, 3 large cakes, 10c. Fine Perfumes, warranted, 15, 25, 49c a bottle. Almond Meal 25c a bottle. Special, Hair Brushes 25, 39c. Bone Hair Pins 10c a dozen Face Powder 10, 15, 19c a box.

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